

SAN FRANCISCO, DEC 28—WEATHER FORECAST—SAN FRANCISCO AND VICINITY: FAIR THIS AFTERNOON, TONIGHT AND POSSIBLY SUNDAY, LIGHT NORTHEAST WIND. SACRAMENTO VALLEY: FAIR TONIGHT AND SATURDAY.

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# INSANE JEALOUSY CAUSES MAN TO KILL 2 WOMEN AND HIMSELF

## EXCLUSION OF JAPANESE WILL BE CONSIDERED

Subject Is to Be Discussed by the Local Board of Education.

Consideration of the Japanese question, involving the placing of Oriental children in separate public schools is to be transferred from San Francisco to this city.

Up to the present time the matter has come under the consideration of the Board in only a small way and no action has ever been taken in relation to Oriental pupils in our schools.

J. Edward Burton, a member of the Electrical Workers' Union, located at 265 Broadway in this city, and a representative of the Alameda County Progress club, who has under its consideration a discussion of the exclusion of Japanese children from the public schools, has requested Secretary Leffingwell of the San Francisco Board of Education to furnish data as to the status of the Japanese question across the bay. This information is to be given and the Board of Education of this city will be afforded an opportunity to consider the question with which the San Francisco educators have

wrestled for many months and which was the cause of a national controversy necessitating investigation by Secretary Metcalf at the request of President Roosevelt.

### NO SETTLEMENT.

The matter has not been settled as yet, but the San Francisco board of education is firm in its stand in the matter and has refused to allow Oriental children to enter any school beside that set aside for them especially.

### BEFORE LOCAL BOARD.

It is Burton's intention to place the whole subject before the local board of education and request that action be taken in the exclusion of Orientals and Koreans from the public schools. Large Japanese and Chinese colonies have been established in this city, thus increasing the attendance of children of these races upon the public schools of this city.

### SOME FAVOR EXCLUSION.

It will be but a short time before Burton will appear before the board and ask that the matter be considered in a recent unofficial discussion of the matter, several members of the local board favored the exclusion of the Oriental children from the public schools and it was proposed to turn the Harrison-street school, in Chinatown over to the Asiatic students.

## DEVLIN IN WASHINGTON TO DISCUSS JAP. EXCLUSION

Pursues Attorney-General to Baltimore for Conference on the Legal Phase of the Case.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—United States Attorney Devlin who arrived in Washington last night from San Francisco, called at the Department of Justice today to discuss with the Attorney General the legal phase of the question of Japanese children

from the schools in San Francisco. The Attorney General had gone to Baltimore for the day and Mr. Devlin immediately took a train for that city in the expectation of having a conference with him there.

The Attorney General is expected in Washington tomorrow.

## DEATH AND SUFFERING IN SHOWER OF MOLTEN SLAG

Converter at Utah Smelter Blows Out, Killing One Workman and Fatally Burning Two Others.

SALT LAKE, Dec. 28—One man was killed two others fatally injured and three others painfully injured early today in the blowing out of a converter at the Highland Boy Smelter in Bingham Canyon the six will recover.

Oscar Wallin was burned to death and Thomas Fox and Oscar Tripp are probably fatally burned. The others

## PEACE IS NEAR IN STRIKE ON THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Firemen Will Submit Their Troubles to Arbitration, Is Report in Texas.

HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 28—It is stated on reliable authority that a settlement of the Southern Pacific firemen strike by arbitration under the direction of United States Commissioner of Labor Neill seems probable.

A positive announcement is expected not later than Saturday. Neither the firemen's representatives nor the Southern Pacific officers consent to a statement for publication today.

NO ACTION TAKEN.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—The probability

of serious trouble between the forty western railroads and employees who have demanded a fifteen per cent increase in wages became more likely yesterday. Managers of the roads affected met and decided that no action would be taken until the trainmen made fresh overtures.

Meanwhile representatives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers from each of the roads met to await a reply to their demands. They had known that the managers

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To have a fine looking young man, a stranger, collide with you in a crowded car, to have your bundles knocked out of your hands by him, and to be proposed to by this same stranger after but a few moments conversation, is an experience which few, if any girls, have ever had. This is what happened to Miss Beatrice Kennedy, an Alameda girl, on the local train from San Francisco on the morning before Christmas, and the young man who so suddenly proposed marriage was Lynd Agnew, a marine engineer and graduate in medicine, of Louisville, Ky. The two had been engaged in conversation but a short time on the train when the subject of marriage was broached, and before the conversation ended, the two were engaged. The couple got off the train at Alameda about 10 o'clock and there secured an automobile with the intention of going to the home of Rev. H. K. Sanborn of East Oakland to have him make them man and wife. Although they started about 10 o'clock for the minister's it was 1:30 before they got there, owing to the breaking down of the automobile. When they finally reached there, however, the nuptial knot was tied and Mr. and Mrs. Agnew left for Mill Valley, where they will spend their honeymoon.

## WOMAN DARED TO MARRY; ACCEPTS

### ROMANCE OF ONE DAY BEGINS ON A LOCAL TRAIN.

Automobile Breaks Down Six Times on the Way to the Church.

In the jostling and crowding mob of Christmas shoppers, coming and going from and to San Francisco, on the morning before Christmas, Miss Beatrice Kennedy, of Alameda, a young woman as well known in Oakland as she is in her home town, had an experience so rare, thrilling and sudden that the breath of any romantically inclined maiden would be fairly taken away.

As Miss Kennedy was returning from San Francisco in one of the local trains about 9 o'clock on the morning mentioned, a young man, a stranger to her, accidentally collided with her, causing a number of her countless little Christmas bundles to fall to the floor of the car. The stranger quietly and humbly apologized for his unintentional roughness, and with a gallantry and aptitude, which Miss Kennedy could not but remark, he kept the crowd behind them until he had restored to her the unlucky little bundles.

### I BEG PARDON.

Of course, it was natural and essential that he should solicitously inquire if any of the bundles contained any breakables and quite the proper thing for him to offer to reimburse the fair shopper for any loss she might have sustained.

Miss Kennedy, however, assured him that nothing was damaged or injured in the least, and blushingly made an attempt to hide a parcel, whose wrapping was undone, and out of which peeped a lace and ribbon bedecked something, which, however, the stranger had not even noticed.

### FAIR OF FACE.

Perhaps all he had time to notice then was that this young shopper was very fair of face and had the sweetest of dispositions, else his clumsiness would have caused the bright eyes to snap and the sweet mouth to say something cross.

He knew he deserved this, and wondered that nothing of the kind happened. He had known many nice girls in his time, and very few of them would have taken an awkward bumping and the scattering of their innumerable parcels in so equal a frame of mind.

### BECAME ACQUAINTED.

There happened to be a vacant seat near where the stranger and Miss Kennedy were standing, and it was only natural for the young man to politely ask permission to occupy the seat with the fair shopper, and to relieve her of some of her bundles.

During the ride to Alameda, Miss Kennedy and the stranger became quite talkative, and so interesting did their conversation prove to them, that the stranger did not leave the train at his station, but passed it by without even a thought of his previous intentions.

Finally, the stranger said to Miss Ken-

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MRS. BEATRICE AGNEW.

—Belle-Oudry Photo.

## THE BANDS ARE HIRED

Late Trains Are Demanded  
---Stores Should Be Well Lighted.

We want more money for the New Year's eve celebration. Nine bands have been secured up to date for the big show and that means \$819. Each band will have twelve pieces and the men will play from 8 p.m. to 1 p.m. with less than ten minutes intermission between each piece. Then we should like to have a little money for red fire and firecrackers, so we are still trying to get more subscriptions. Our solicitors are against a good many people who ought to subscribe but do not.

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## SOCIETY WOMAN FREE FROM MAN WHO SCORNED HER

Mrs. Sallie Stetson Winslow Desires Against Her Husband.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 28—Mrs. Sallie Winslow was granted a divorce from Chauncey R. Winslow, a wealthy Portland man, by Judge Kerrigan this morning on the ground of desertion. The society woman who had petitioned for a severance of the bonds holding her to her husband, now resides in a room of nervous breakdown caused by worry over the case, to appear in court, but her father, J. E. Stetson, was present, while her interests were attended to by Attorney Guy C. East. Winslow

## MOTHER SLAIN WHILE HOLDING BABY IN ARMS

Knife and a Revolver Are Used in a Tragedy at Portland.

PORTLAND, Or., Dec. 28—A terrible tragedy was enacted in the kitchen of the little home of Arturo Bignami at Harrison and Water streets, in South Portland, today, when Luigi Savignana, an Italian, stabbed and killed Julia Bignami and probably fatally stabbed Mrs. Bignami's aged mother-in-law, Mrs. Annina Vismora. Savignana, after committing the horrible deed, went to 67 North Third street and shot himself fatally.

The Bignami family recently came here from Los Angeles, Cal., where Savignana also lived for a few weeks, Portland being his home. Savignana entered the kitchen of the Bignami home this morning while Mrs. Vismora was bending over a wash tub and Mrs. Bignami was preparing her nine months old baby for his morning bath.

Almost without saying a word Savignana drew a dirk and plunged it into Mrs. Bignami's breast. She dropped the baby and ran through the kitchen door and into the yard. Savignana pursued her. Mrs. Bignami expired almost immediately, dropping at her assailant's feet.

Not satisfied with having killed Mrs. Bignami, the murderer rushed back into the kitchen and stabbed Mrs. Vismora in the back, and, thinking that she would die, immediately left the house and went rapidly to 67 North Third street in North Portland and shot himself. He was removed to a hospital, as was Mrs. Vismora. Both will die.

The exact circumstances surrounding the tragedy are hard to obtain, but it is believed insane jealousy prompted the deed.

## FATALLY SHOT HIS WIFE, THEN ENDED HIS OWN LIFE

Quarrel Precedes Tragedy in Rooming-House in Suburb of Boston Early This Morning.

BOSTON, Dec. 28—Fred L. Clark, said to belong in Belfast, Maine, shot and probably fatally wounded his wife, Bertha, at a lodging house at 3 Center street, Roxbury, at 1:30 a.m. today.

Clark, thinking that he had killed the woman, ended his life with the revolver which he had used in his wife's murder. Mrs. Clark is in a critical condition.

Persons in the house heard quarreling just before the shooting occurred.

Clark was 25 years old and his wife is 22.

## DEEDS PROPERTY TO WIFE, THEN BLOWS OUT BRAINS

"Broken Heart" Physician



# BANDS HAVE BEEN HIRED

**Late Trains Are Demanded for Use of the Hundreds of Visitors From San Francisco--Boost for a Good Time.**

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who will get direct benefit from the celebration have failed to subscribe one dollar. The Fiesta Committee simply enters them on the book as enemies of progress.

We are going to have a big celebration without these mousbacks who hate progress. We will have 200,000 people parading the streets of Oakland. All San Francisco will be invited to join us in enjoying the big show.

**GIVE US MORE LIGHT.**

THE LIGHT COMMITTEE IS GOING TO SEE THAT THERE IS PLENTY OF LIGHT ON NEW YEAR'S EVE IN THE STREETS. THE COMMITTEE WILL CALL ON THE MERCHANTS AND ASK THEM TO LIGHT UP. EVERY STORE WILL BE OBSERVED ON NEW YEAR'S EVE AND THE MERCHANT MAKING THE BEST LIGHT SHOWING WILL BE GIVEN A CERTIFICATE OF HONOR BY THE FIESTA COMMITTEE.

**LET'S HAVE LATE TRAINS.**

We want late trains to San Francisco on New Year's eve. The committee will ask the Southern Pacific Company and the Key Route to run a late train and late boat. The last train for San Francisco now leaves at 12:25. We will ask for trains to leave at 1:30 a.m. so that San Francisco people can stay and see the big show to the end. The bands play until 1 a.m.

**HUSTLERS STILL OUT.**

Our hustlers are still after the money. The more money we get the bigger the show. Let everybody put his shoulder to the wheel and make this an event never to be forgotten.

The Fiesta Committee will meet tonight, when plans for the great celebration will be discussed. Anyone who has suggestions for the celebration will be welcome at the meeting.

**LATEST ADVICE ON RAIN.**

This is the very latest inside advice on rain.

**"CASTLE PLUVIUS," Dec. 27, 1906.**

EDITOR TRIBUNE—I will not drop any rain on New Year's eve. The Frost King has butted in and cut me out for a few days, so, according to our sky calendar, you will have a clear, cold night December 31st. Go ahead and celebrate.

**"JUPITER PLUVIUS."**

The Oakland Beer Bottlers' Protective Association is tight up to date. They held a meeting last night and voted \$75 to the celebration fund without a dissenting vote. They are always ready to stand in and help the city.

**A GREAT BOOSTER.**

Here is a great booster.

**"OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 28, 1906**

W. E. DARGIE, OAKLAND TRIBUNE—Dear Sir: I herewith enclose you check of \$250 to help pay expenses of the New Year's Eve Fiesta and celebration for the closing of 1906 and the birth of 1907. I would indeed a poor booster if I did not help bear the burdens and only share in the profits which are bound to come from the new spirit which has cropped out in Oakland during the past year. If red fire, brass bands and tin horns will bring the people out so they can see the new and Greater Oakland outlined against the sky, then I say "More red fire and brass bands." Yours for 500,000 people in 1910.

**"THE SKIDOO RENOVATORY," 510 Thirteenth street****"Id. B. Webster, Manager."****IS YOUR NAME ON THE LIST?****THE SUBSCRIBERS.**

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| OSGOOD'S DRUG STORE                           | 10.00    |
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| HOWELL-BÖHRMANN CO.                           | 10.00    |
| WINNEDALE CO., per W. C. Jurgens              | 10.00    |
| SHERMAN, CLAY & CO.                           | 10.00    |
| JOHN B. JORDAN, The Athens                    | 10.00    |
| MISHART'S DRUG STORE                          | 5.00     |
| SMITH BROTHERS HARDWARE CO.                   | 5.00     |
| H. SCHARAN                                    | 5.00     |
| ABRAHAMSON EROS                               | 10.00    |
| E. LEHNHARDT                                  | 10.00    |
| DR. WM. J. JACKSON                            | 5.00     |
| DR. ALEX DELMAR, D. P.                        | 10.00    |
| CALIFORNIA OPTICAL COMPANY                    | 5.00     |
| BRALEY-GROTE FURNITURE COMPANY                | 5.00     |
| THEO. GIER CO.                                | 10.00    |
| H. D. ELIASON                                 | 2.50     |
| KLEM BROTHERS                                 | 2.50     |
| FRANK K. MOTT                                 | 5.00     |
| YE LIBERTY CANDY CO.                          | 5.00     |
| SLAVICH'S RESTAURANT                          | 5.00     |
| DEL MONTE CAFE                                | 2.50     |
| SMITH BROS., Stationers                       | 5.00     |
| BERT LISSNER, Jewelers                        | 5.00     |
| THE BEST CLOTHES SHOP                         | 5.00     |
| Don Morris Manager                            | 5.00     |
| FRANK PEREIRA                                 | 10.00    |
| OAKLAND BEER BOTTLERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION | 15.00    |
| EDWARD B. WEBSTER                             | 2.50     |
| HUTCHINSON COMPANY                            | 5.00     |
| SARRY G. WILLIAMS                             | 10.00    |
| JOHN BREUNER COMPANY                          | 10.00    |
| JACKSON FURNITURE COMPANY                     | 10.00    |
| F. W. KINSEY, Furniture                       | 2.50     |
| E. L. SARGEANT                                | 2.50     |
| OWENS & STARR, 164 TWELFTH STREET             | 10.00    |
| THE HUB, A. JONAS                             | 10.00    |
| G. T. MORAN, 1017 BROADWAY                    | 10.00    |
| HARDY'S BOOKSTORE                             | 5.00     |
| MAY C. SCHULZE, 911 AND 913 WASHINGTON        | 5.00     |
| FRED A. JORDAN                                | 5.00     |
| CENTRAL TITLE INSURANCE CO., BY A. P. HOLLAND | 10.00    |
| OAKLAND CLOTHING CO., MORRIS ISAAC'S          | 5.00     |
| BREED & BANCROFT                              | 10.00    |
| R. A. LEET & CO.                              | 5.00     |
| SUNSET GROCERY COMPANY                        | 5.00     |
| PAUL T. CARROLL, "THE HATMAN"                 | 5.00     |

## PARTNER OF J. P. MORGAN IS INDICTED FOR FORGERY

**George W. Perkins Alleged to Have  
Falsified in Making Insurance  
Statements.**

# TODAY'S RACES

**FIRST RACE.**

Escamado 106 (McBride), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, 1 to 1. H. Herold 108 (Sandy) 12 to 1, 5 to 1, 1 to 1. Marie H. 104 (W. Miller) 3 to 1, evens, 1 to 2. Time, 1:16 1-5.

**SECOND RACE.**

Bushthorpe, 107 (Knapp) 7 to 1, 8 to 5, 3 to 5. Johnny Lyons, 102 (Rollers) 30 to 1; Chees, 104 (W. Miller) 3 to 5; 1 to 4; out. Time, 1:31 3-5.

**SAN FRANCISCAN IS  
KILLED BY ENGINE**

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—A Hyman, fifty years of age, and living at 704 Broderick street, was killed by a switch engine today at Sixteenth and Harrison streets. Hyman did not notice the approach of the train, and stepped directly in front of the engine, his body being badly mangled.

Books bound and rebound, paper ruled, loose leaf sheets made to order at THE TRIBUNE Bindery.

VOTE YESTERDAY TRIBUNE POPULARITY CONTEST.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—George W. Perkins, formerly vice-president of the New York Life Insurance Company, and now a member of the firm of J. Pierpont Morgan & Company, and Charles S. Fairchild, formerly secretary of the New York Life Insurance Company, were indicted today by the grand jury charged with forgery in Europe.

The third degree. The indictments were based on what is known as a bond transaction, in which it is charged that a false statement was made by the New York Life Insurance Company in order to induce the corporation of Asia as to the securities held by that company. Mr. Perkins appeared in court and gave bail in the sum of \$10,000. Mr. Fairchild is in Europe.

PEACE NEAR IN  
FIREMEN'S STRIKE

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were to meet and awaited an expected invitation to a conference, but none was received.

Three working meetings of the two brotherhoods were held during the morning afternoon and evening. The evening meeting broke up with the threat that "something would be doing pretty quick if they were not recognized."

**NO STATEMENTS MADE.**

Chairman Benjamin Thomas of the board of managers committee refused to make any statement as to what had been done at the meeting, which was of less than an hour's duration. The trouble seems that few roads can afford an increase in operating expenses. An increase of ten per cent in the wages of all the trainmen, it is said, would take away the small remaining chances of dividends and these roads would prefer to take chances with strike rather than grant the increased wages without making an effort to ward off the blow.

Another meeting of the managers probably will be held today, at which it is said action in the matter may be taken. Meantime the representatives of the trainmen's unions will remain and await developments.

**STRIKE BREAKERS FOR  
SOUTHERN PACIFIC**

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 28.—Forty strike-breakers, firemen from St. Louis and Cincinnati, arrived here last night and were located in quarters furnished by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company. It is understood that union engineers are making no objection to the placing of non-union men on their engines and this conciliatory attitude of the engineers is said to be due to their opposition to the present demands of the firemen.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice to Henry C. Van Dyck, deceased, is to be given by the undersigned administrator, with will annexed of the estate of Henry C. Van Dyck, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased to extend the time for payment of such debts within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the office of Solinsky & Wehe, 811 Turk Street, San Francisco, California, which said notice is to be given to all business engaged with said estate of Henry C. Van Dyck, deceased.

**CELIA M. VAN DYCK**

Administrator, with will annexed of the estate of Henry C. Van Dyck, deceased.

Dated Oakland, 25th day of December, 1906.

THE PLACE TO SAVE MONEY ON HOLIDAY GOODS.

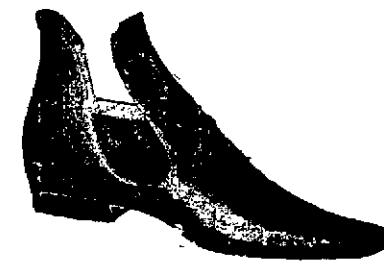
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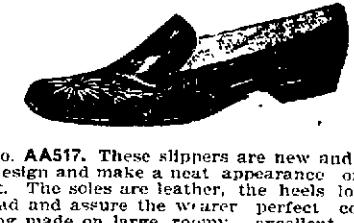
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No. AA504. Made from Brussels carpet, bound and staved, and with leather soles and counters.

A slipper which will give good wear and plenty of comfort. Patterns are well matched, and the quality usually sold in retail stores for 75 cents. Sizes, 6 to 11. Per pair.....45c

**WOMEN'S FELT  
JULIETS**

No. AA1412. The price has been lowered, the quality remains the same. Of course, there are any number of cheap felt Juliets on the market, but ours are cheap only in price. These slippers are sold all over the United States anywhere from \$1.00 to \$1.25 per pair. Felt in the tops and leather in the soles. Sizes, 2½ to 9. Per pair.....50c

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## NEW TERM OPENS JANUARY 2

# STONE SAYS TO 'STAND PAT'

Grand Master of Locomotive Engineers Orders Men to Keep Out of the Strike

Grand Master Stone of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has issued strict instructions to the various lodges on the Pacific systems of the Southern Pacific Company to "stand pat" in case the strike of the firemen on the Atlantic system should spread west of El Paso where the Pacific system's jurisdiction commences. This means that if a strike of Southern Pacific firemen on the Pacific system should be called, the locomotive engineers numbering 660 would not go out in sympathy, but would operate their engines as usual and let the engineers who would not recognize the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Stone's instructions were received last night at the meeting of Letard Stanford Division No. 33, at which the grand master's message was read. The same instructions have been sent to every division on the system.

Such directions were not unexpected as the situation on the Atlantic system is regarded as a struggle between the Brotherhood of Engine men over the question of control of switch engineers, who retain their membership in the firemen's order after changing sides in the locomotive car.

Only a sympathetic strike would call be made upon the Pacific system firemen to go out. First, however, an order would be issued by the firemen themselves here to have a cent in what their officers claim was a satisfactory arrangement with the Southern Pacific Company is to have and will be.

**WOMAN ABUSES JUDGE GETS HEAVY SENTENCE**

Poly. City, Santa Fe, N.M.—A ladies' day at this morning three women who have been arrested since June 12, 1906, in answer to charges of bank robbery, Clara Bates was fined \$100 and was given a sentence of one year \$50 or twenty days jail. In woman then became the first to be held her sentence was raised to \$100 or five days the time of her trial.

Mr. Leland remained in the court that he had held so cold and became more and more trying to cure his judge. She gave him three days in which he could not leave the prison doctor would see her each day.

Miss Jeanne on Leland's part to demand his release was sent to jail for three days. The woman who was in court on Saturday charged her with being a police officer. The judge charged Mabel plenty not guilty and she trial was set for December 21.

**HINDOO VICTIM OF NOVEL BUNKO MAN**

A novel in that of robbery is tried on M. Abraham an East Indian who was born in India, a victim of Lord Kitchener. W. H. Nichols, night manager of a man Abraham has reported his mysterious experience to the police. He found the he had left the printing office of R. S. Kitchener where he had gone to seek employment when he was taken into custody by a man in plain clothes who was served he was a police officer. Abraham submitted to being arrested and took to a local lodging house where he was held up to ransom. He was first held in the most unusual way in a room and was only released upon him to be paid a sum of \$100 upon his release. The police are looking for the man who is believed to be the man thinking him guilty.

**TWO ARE FINED FOR CARRYING REVOLVERS**

Two men were fined for carrying revolvers on New Year's Day. In police court the morning, Walfred T. Pusey who had been fined \$100 for carrying a revolver in his pocket through which he had been traveling to and from Washington, D. C., was fined \$100 for carrying a revolver in his pocket. His wife, Mrs. Pusey, had been fined \$100 for carrying a revolver in her pocket. Both men had been fined \$100 for carrying a revolver in their pockets. The two men were fined \$100 for carrying a revolver in their pockets.

**THIEVES ENTER HOME AND STEAL VALUABLES**

Three of them entered a home on Franklin Street on New Year's Day and stole a large amount of money from the window while the family slept. The house was an old brick building, but it was not known whether it was a residence or a business. The thief had been seen in the house on New Year's Eve, when he was given a sum of \$100 or five dollars on a sum charge by P. J. Judge Smith.

**Contest for Prizes Keen**

**GREAT INTEREST MANIFESTED IN PIEDMONT RINKS CARNIVAL NEW YEAR'S EVE**

Judging by the number of the who have signed up in entries in the contest in the big masquerade carnival held at the Piedmont Skating Rink, it is going to be a great attraction with the grand ball, but it is not clear the masquerade ball will be present a brilliant affair in New Year's Eve next Monday night.

The fascinating spectacle of hundreds of girls in the streets in gorgeous and varied attire representing every nation in the world, from China to Africa, with their skin glistening skin, will be the attraction during the day and evening and later on in the new year draws near the floor will be cleared and the exciting will be to step polkas and various dances, and to the hearts of lovers of dancing will help to speed the all too short evenings.

The dozen or more contests and costly prizes for the best costumes, most beautiful costumes, and the winners of races, all to be won in a competition and the contest for the possession promises to be keen. The races are to include a mile contest or men with some of the speediest skaters in this vicinity entered and a mile race for women with Miss Louise Jones champion of the Coast as one of the contestants.

Starting at 9 o'clock though the doors will open at 8 o'clock with no one permitted on the floor except in costume until after the grand march at 9:30 and continue until 11 with dancing from 11 to 1.

# FRIEZE PUP TURNS THIEF

Bull Praised Once for Bringing in Bill Is a Genuine Crook.

BIRMINGHAM FALLS Me. Dec. 28—James S. Leland of this place has a prize bull pup that is almost too bright for his owner's comfort.

The other day as Mr. Leland was sitting quietly reading the dog came in from the street and dropped a dollar bill at his master's feet much as a retired drops his game pieces.

He praised him extravagantly more to encourage him in learning to carry articles past his nose.

The dog was enjoyed with the praise and again set out. It was after dinner when he returned and this time he had a dollar bill between his teeth. Mr. Leland was surprised. Next morning he brought the dog to the vet and noted in the bill a note for \$2. His master was amazed when the dog finally brought in \$1.11 crisp and new. He thought it time to investigate. Accordingly he sat outside but at the door met the biler who told him the dog was on the street with his house.

What's up, cried Leland. Gimme that \$10 bill, roared the biler.

Mr. Leland examined the money and by investigating reached a solution of the financial mystery. The dog had no doubt found the first \$2 bill on the street and in the seat of it still remained with him. He was so highly pleased that he decided to repeat the performance and set more traps. This time he led him down into downtown store, where he was not known and when a customer would tender a bill to the storekeeper the dog would leap and grab it and the customer home. It was a bad affair for the dog, however, because in the first 15 days where he had off he had no well known. When he had down and his consequent punishment which consists of a stout collar which controls it, his legs were broken.

Mr. Leland is waiting to the other victims of this canine skin game to show up.

**\$10 FINES MENACE**

**MANY BRIDEGRoOMS**

BIRMINGHAM, Me. Dec. 28—Young men of this city who have failed to get outside the state within the last two years are alleged to have given up the company with a certain class of the more notorious and theretofore invisible to a man of 30 years.

Clyde Cleat M. D. McMahon has compiled a list of bridegrooms who have come back here to reside after their honeymoon and he has sent out notices calling attention to their deficiency. The statute covering the matter reads:

If a man, resident of this State is married without the State, he shall within sixty days deposit with the clerk of the town (or city) where he resides a certificate embracing the statistics required by law in marriage certificates and upon failure so to do he shall be fined not less than ten dollars.

The city clerk says nothing married men have neglected to comply with this provision and that some of them have been unable to do so for more than a year. He does not intend to begin proceedings immediately, preferring to give the delinquents a warning first.

**PASSING OF A NONEGENARIAN**

Mrs. Amelia Downs Steele, widow of Dr. John William Steele, mother of Mrs. M. Lapham and the late Frederick W. Steele and grandmother of I. Irene Steele of Berkley. Her son and son-in-law, D. C. and Clara Steele of Schenectady, N. Y., passed to Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at her residence in Berkley.

Mrs. Steele was born in Sandy Creek, Oneida County, N. Y., March 21, 1846. She was educated in Vermont and with her family moved from that state to Western Canada where she married and then traveled around with him in his business. They settled in a town in St. Charles County, about 25 miles from Chicago at that time an enterprising village. Four children were born to the couple, two of whom died in infancy. Mr. Steele's health failing he took his family back to Canada, then removing to Michigan where he passed to the higher life.

At the age of 74 years Mrs. Steele traveled alone to this state where her son resided. She is a woman of excellent mind which remained unclouded to the end. Though confined to her bed for nearly two years

**WE EXTEND TO YOU ALL OUR BEST WISHES FOR A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR**

**SATURDAYS AND MONDAY'S MONEY SAVING SPECIALS OF GOOD THINGS TO EAT AND DRINK—A NEEDFUL LIST TO SATISFY THE APPETITE IN THE PREPARATION OF YOUR NEW YEAR'S DINNER**

**Grocery Specials**

Cranberries—reg. 15c val. 10c qt. Catsup—Snyder's 25c val. 20c

Soda Crackers—10 lb. box, 55c val. 35c

Soda Crackers—3 lb. box 25c val. 15c

Peaches—Yellow Crawford, 15c val. 10c

Breakfast Food—Humpty Dumpty 12½c val. 8 1/3c

Raisins—Blue Ribbon 15c reg. 12½c

Currents—15c reg. 1b 12½c

Nuts—Fancy mixed, reg. 25c lb. 20c

Jams and Jellies, reg. 25c jar, 20c

Plum Pudding—Van Camp's 30c can. 25c

Pumpkin—for pies, reg. 15c 12½c

Mince Meat—None such, reg. 10c 8 1/3c

Apple Cider—Hammond's, 50c bottle 35c

Moschi and Java Coffe, 40c 2 lbs. 55c

Tea—English Breakfast, 50c val. 35c

Liquor Department

THE BEST—THE VERY BEST—OF WINES AND LIQUORS WILL BE DELIVERED FROM OUR SAN FRANCISCO AND EMERYVILLE STORES

Rye Whiskey—Overton \$3.00 gal. \$2.50

Rye Whiskey—Carroll qt. bottle \$1.00

Jessie Moore Whiskey \$1.00 bottle 85c

Old Crow and Hermitage in bond, \$1.50 bottle \$1.25

Port and Cherry—Abbey's XX, 75c

Her Majesty, old Tom Gin, reg. 90c bottle 65c

Claret—4 years old, reg. 65c gal. 50c

Monogram Whiskey, reg. 90c bottle 75c

FRESH MEAT DEPARTMENT

Roast Beef—Extra fancy 8 and 10c lb.

Chuck Roast—lb. 7c

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Corned Beef—Sugar cured—lb. 6c

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Forequarters of Lamb—lb. 8½c

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Six good boys with bicycles Apply Room 23, 1068 Broadway.

# A. J. CASSATT PASSES AWAY

President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Succumbs to Heart Disease.

PHILADELPHIA Dec. 28—President Alexander J. Cassatt of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company died suddenly this afternoon. The announcement of his death was made from his office shortly before 2 o'clock in the following bulletin:

"Mr. A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, died suddenly of heart disease at 1 p.m. today. The symptoms were those known to the profession as Stokes-Adams syncope and as is often the case under these circumstances death was instantaneous."

Services will be held this afternoon at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. S. M. Lapham, 2511 Adeline street, Berkeley.

Rev. Morris Bradley, a relative of the family, conducted the service, and in accordance with the wish of the deceased, her grand-daughter, Miss Phelps, rendered several hymns as stated by Mrs. Rosamore Harrington, Grand Haven, Mich., papers please copy.

GERMANS WILL GIVE NEW YEAR'S DANCE

Oakland Verein Elektricht and Ladies Society will give a Christmas tree and social dance on New Year's eve Decem-

ber 31.

# ALTERATION SALE

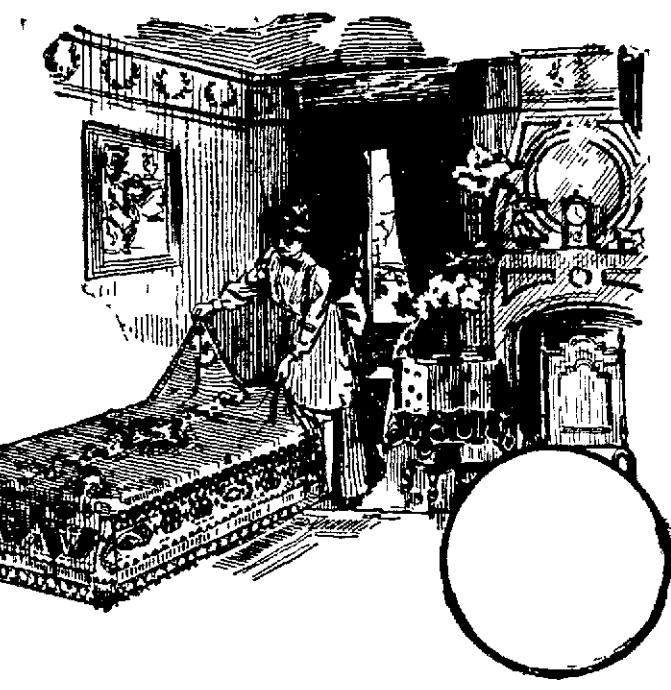
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THE DEAN & HUMPHREY CO announce a

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Talking machines at cut prices. We have several talking machines of the finest makes that we are offering at greatly reduced prices in order to close them out. First come, first served, as they won't last long. Hurry if you want one. We want to invite every man, woman and child in Oakland and Alameda county to come and compare our prices on the finest line of pianos that can possibly be had and at prices that will more than please you. No one can afford to miss this chance. Pianos tuned, rented and repaired.

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## GRIEF OVER DEATH OF DOG LESSENED BY KIND LETTERS

**Friends of Dr. E. H. Woolsey Pay Tribute  
to Many Virtues of Deceased Poodle,  
Frankie.**

Dr. E. H. Woolsey is receiving many letters from friends condoling with his grief over the death of his famous poodle, Frankie, whose accomplishments were widely celebrated. These masses are highly appreciated by the doctor who was profoundly attached to his deceased pet. The following are examples of the letters Dr. Woolsey's daily mail contains:

### NOTE FROM NEVADA

"Office of State Controller Sam P. Davis State Controller Carson City Nevada December 27—Dr. E. H. Woolsey Hotel Metropole Oakland My Dear Friend

I have just learned with deep regret of the death of Frank. It must have been a great blow to you and I also keenly feel the loss of one who was so often our companion.

He seemed to have somehow a human heart beating beneath his grey coat and there was always a feeling of comradeship when with him.

His warm heart and fine intelligence always appealed to me and I listen to extend my condolences.

If ever a dog deserved a good burial place Frank deserves it.

When next I come to Oakland I shall cast a flower upon his grave in remembrance of the pleasant hours

I have spent in his company.

"Sincerely yours,  
SAM DAVIS"  
Examiner Office San Francisco December 25 1906

Dear Dr. Woolsey—It was with genuine regret that both Mrs. Fernbach and myself learned this morning (yesterday being my day off) of the death of poor little Frank. Knowing how attached you were to the bright little fellow we can picture the sadness which his demise has brought to you and we both beg to express our heartfelt sympathy for your bereavement of a comrade that was almost human in many desirable accomplishments and more than human in the lack of many vices.

Mrs. Fernbach remarked to me to day that the only blot upon an otherwise happy Christmas for us was the thought that Dr. Woolsey had lost Frank and would be lonesome without him.

Cheer up doctor. May the New Year be happy and may the loss of your pet be made easier by the thought of the many who share it with you.

O. H. FERNBACH

Dr. Woolsey treasures the expressions of sympathy and feels grateful to his friends for remembering the affection in which he held his dog.

## ANNEXATION ORDINANCE IS PASSED DESPITE PROTESTS

**Election Will Be Held March 14—Piedmont Vainly Asked to Be Left Out of Proposition.**

Following the hearing of strenuous protests against the proposed annexation of Piedmont made by residents of that section who asked that their section be left out in voting on the proposition, the City Council last night passed it in an ordinance calling for a election to be held on March 14, 1907 at which time the electors will decide whether or not Piedmont shall annex. Frustrated Piedmont, Linnhurst, and other outlying territory. With the exception of Councilman Don McElroy, all the members of the council were present and voted in favor of passing the measure to them to print.

In his speech Councilman Thurston said the proposed annexation of the city was only a step toward making Piedmont a county of Oakland and that action on the matter would only be a matter of a few years.

Hugh C. Wilker, attorney for Piedmont, headed the protestants from Piedmont and the proponents of the proposed annexation were led by Alvin Walker of the Merchants' Club, during the discussion of the proposition last night.

Upon the completion of a small amount of routine business the subject of annexation was considered at length arguments pro and con being made.

The City Clerk sent a communication to the council stating that an order had been made in the original or in the case of the council, one district, McElroy, having been left out and that a substitute measure had been prepared by the City Attorney. This order was referred, filed, as was the following which is self explanatory:

### ERROR IN ORDINANCE

At a meeting of the joint committee on annexation of the Old and Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants Exchange at Oakland Hall December 1906, it which will submitting the executive committee of the Central Annexation Club presenting the citizens of Piedmont and Linnhurst were present the following resolution was unanimous:

Whereas an effort exists in an ordinance calling an annexation election and fixing the date thereof January 10, 1906, therefore:

Resolved That the City Council of Oakland be requested to adopt an ordinance calling for an election and fixing the date thereof January 10, 1906, therefore:

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Frank W. Bughr, Chairman of the Committee Against Annexation, stated that the discussion with the two following officers of the City Attorney, Is there any conflict between our action and that of the Board of Supervisors which has authorized the residents of Piedmont to commence incorporation proceedings?

City Attorney McElroy, in response said, The petition filed here gives the council in my opinion priority over the action of the Board of Supervisors. The error which was made did not loss to this council.

This matter being settled in the minds of the council it is felt asked another question to Wilbur Walker who has been instrumental in asking for the annexation election. It was at that your petition was not signed by more residents of Piedmont which is now making protest?

### ARE THREE CLASSES

"No one answered Wilker can say that all in each district are in favor of one proposition. Some desire annexation and others no. In these districts some do not favor the remaining as the are and allowing the counts to pay their bills at the expense of the cities, some who like annexation and others incorporation. Piedmont, however, many being in favor of incorporation. Messrs. Bigler, Capwell, and Leach residents of Piedmont, desire to have their district annexed to Oakland. They are members of our committee and are working in behalf of our petition."

Councilman Burns—I move that we hear only those who are not seeking office in regard to the protest of the residents of Piedmont.

Hugh Orton denied that there were any job chasers in Piedmont, and someone remarked that that was the reason it was desirous of annexing the district to Oakland.

Councilman Thurston—There are but two questions we should consider. Why is it that we want Piedmont, and why don't they want to come in. We



## NEGRO CONVICTS ESCAPING TERRORIZE ENTIRE TRAIN

**Ride Sixty Miles on Blind Baggage and Defy Crew Which Drives Them Off at Each Station.**

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 28—Three negro convicts employed at the prison power house, situated just outside the penitentiary walls at Jefferson City, made their escape last night and rode sixty miles toward St. Louis this morning on the blind baggage of a passenger train. The passengers were panic-stricken when it became known that the convicts in prison garb were on the train. The negroes were driven from the train at each station by the

train crew, but as soon as the train started the persistent trio would climb aboard the blind baggage.

At Kent, sixty miles west of St. Louis, the trio left the train and disappeared.

JEFFERSON CITY Mo., Dec. 28—Three three negro convicts who escaped from the penitentiary last night were captured this afternoon at Dundee and turned over to Warden Hall

## NEW BIBLICAL PLAY AT MACDONOUGH

A fair-sized audience attended the Macdonough last night to see James O'Neill in his new biblical play, "The Voice of the Mighty." The play is a beautiful one and is very brilliantly staged the costumes being new and handsome. In excellent keeping with the time Mr. O'Neill and his support did splendid work, and not a single fault could be found with the entire production of the play, notwithstanding

the fact that it was the first night. Mr. O'Neill was an excellent John the Baptist and Miss Teresa Dale as Herodias was perfect, even to facial expression.

Etzel Dunn as Salome, James O'Neill Jr. as Onnias and Juanita La Lande as Ruth also deserve special mention. "The Voice of the Mighty" will be repeated again tonight and tomorrow night. At the Sunday matinee and at the evening performance Mr. O'Neill will make his farewell appearance in "Monte Cristo."

The patient will remain in Santa Barbara at the home of Superintendent Flint of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company until he is well enough to be removed to this city.

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First-class Turkish and Hammam baths. Finest service on the coast, experienced attendants also swimming tank for ladies and gentlemen. Take Piedmont car to Twenty-fourth street.

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A BOOSTER WEEKLY.

Articles of incorporation of the Redwood Publishing company have been filed with the County Clerk. The corporation is capitalized for \$25,000 and the directors are Stuart W. Booth, George W. Austin, H. E. Magill, Charles E. Cook and E. W.

The Review Publishing company will carry on the publication of the Oakland Review which was begun nearly six years ago by Stuart W. Booth. The "Booster" will be published monthly.

It will cost everything and everybody that has the interest of Oakland at heart. It has been edited along the lines of the start and in the near future will be greatly improved.

Among the principal stockholders are George W. Austin, H. C. Capwell, Henry A. Melvin, Arthur H. Breed, Walter E. Logan, Colonel J. E. Fox and others.

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## Calendar Day at *Lohers* TOWN MARKET Saturday December 29th.

Come and get one of our Aluminum Calendars—the cutest little thing you ever saw. And by the way try some of our Quaker Club House or Spanish Tomato Sausage for Sunday morning breakfast—the kind that's got Oakland's people to eating sausage as they never ate before. You are welcome to come and see them made.

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30

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## Some Causes of Race Wars.

According to the dispatches the so-called "race war" at Scooba, Miss., in which seven men lost their lives, was caused by the too common practice at the South of subjecting any black man who offers violence or insult to a white man to mob violence. The team of a white man and a negro met in a narrow place, and the negro, according to the telegraphic reports, "abused" the white man "who came to town and notified the people" (the whites). Whereupon a body of armed men began searching for the offending colored citizen. It is easy to imagine what they intended to do to the "nigger." Is it surprising that, under the circumstances, forcible resistance should have been offered to this armed posse proceeding in direct violation of the law to administer physical punishment to a man who had apparently done nothing more than use insulting language to another? The tenor of the dispatch indicates that the "abuse" spoken of was merely verbal abuse. Had one white man given another a similar tongue lashing the matter would have excited no attention or at most resulted in a trial for petty misdemeanor before a justice of the peace. If, on the other hand, the white man had abused the black the verdict of his white neighbors would have been "served the nigger right." The colored man would get no redress by appealing to the courts, whereas a white man can be sure of having his wrongs righted by the legal authorities. In the particular case under discussion, the negro may have had the right of argument, and only gave way to his temper because of an attempted infringement of his rights. Too many men are imbued with the idea that a black man has no rights that a white man is bound to respect. White men are prone to treat negroes as if they had neither natural rights nor feeling. There was certainly no valid excuse for an armed mob to go chasing this Mississippi negro as if he had committed some heinous outrage instead of heaping verbal abuse on a white man. The whole country would be in arms if a mob of negroes were to chase a white man to punish him for a similar offense. White people condemn the growing spirit of violence among the colored people, but they ignore the fact that they are arousing and provoking this spirit of violence by treating the negro as an inferior animal destitute of the feelings which animate other human beings. A man whose rights are not respected is not likely to greatly respect the rights of others, and the man to whom the law affords little or no protection naturally resorts to violence to protect himself. If the spirit of justice and fair play prevailed to a greater extent there would be far fewer bloody affairs between whites and blacks than now stain the daily history of this country.

The proposition to nominate Judge Harlan for Governor of Kentucky on the Republican ticket looks as if some big interests would like to get the judge off the Supreme bench. Judge Harlan once made the race for Governor of Kentucky as a Republican, and was defeated. Judge Harlan is over seventy years of age, and it would be a mistake for him to leave the Supreme Court, of which he is a distinguished member, to enter partisan politics at his time of life. If he is tired of his judicial position the law permits him to retire on salary for the remainder of his life. But he is so sound physically and mentally that it would be a pity to lose him from the Supreme bench.

An examination of the returns of the late election discloses that the counties south of Tehachapi saved Governor-elect Gillett from defeat. Bell carried the State north of Tehachapi by a plurality of 5013, but Gillett's plurality in the seven southern counties was 13,200, which offset the vote of the remainder of the State, with a safe margin over.

The pathetic statement of Mrs. John D. Rockefeller that she liked oysters but was too poor to buy them ought to inspire a flood of sympathy for the hard-pressed oil magnate. The people who have been deluding themselves with the idea that the whole world is his oyster must now realize how sadly they have been mistaken. A multi-millionaire who is too poor to buy oysters is an object of commiseration. In these times of universal prosperity it is deplorable to find even the very rich suffering the pangs of poverty. Why, we are even informed that a sense of poverty often compels Hetty Green to beg a postage stamp. Verily the woes of our millionaires are exceedingly distressing. But, then, they should have known better than to get rich.

## Carnegie on Taxing Inheritances.

In the North American Review, Andrew Carnegie argues that the public at large has an interest in every large accumulation of wealth, since the growth in population and the activities of the people as a whole contribute to the amassment of large fortunes. He therefore favors the imposition of graded income and inheritance taxes as a means of returning to the public at least a part of what rightfully belongs to the people. He quotes Adam Smith to prove that his ideas on this subject are neither new nor revolutionary. It is a fact not generally known that under both British and American law the right to inherit property is not a natural but a legal right—in other words, the right of inheritance is one that is derived from statutory provision. It follows, therefore, that the law-making power can, and in many instances has, limited its exercise. It has even limited the disposition of property by will, not even permitting a testator to do as he pleases with what is indisputably his own, provided he does not relinquish ownership till death supervenes. The popular belief that children and other near relatives have a natural right to the possessions of deceased persons is an error. It is true that the law asserts natural rights, but it also confers them, and at the same time limits and defines them, and also directs the manner of their exercise. Consequently, Mr. Carnegie's argument is as sound in law as it is logical in setting forth the right of the body politic to a share in the estates of deceased persons.

## DOUBTFUL APPLICATION.

Teacher—What is the meaning of "aperture?"

Class (in chorus)—An opening.

Teacher—Tommy Smith, give a sentence containing the word "aperture."

Tommy—All the big stores have had their fall apertures.—Baltimore American.

A Connecticut baker has produced the "Uncle Joe Cannon custard pie." A little crusty as to outward appearance, perhaps, but all to the good so far as the heart of it is concerned.—Washington Herald.

## An Owl Service for New Year's.

It is to be hoped that the Southern Pacific and the Key Route people will give Oakland an extra good service on New Year's eve. The street celebration and the numerous bands playing will draw an immense crowd from both sides of the bay, taxing the ferry and local rail service far beyond their ordinary capacity. The last boat leaves the Oakland side for San Francisco at 12:30 a.m., whereas the celebration on New Year's eve will not end till 1 o'clock. As there will be a great number of visitors from across the bay, the railroad companies should see the advisability of each running an extra late boat to accommodate the visitors, who will otherwise be compelled to tear themselves away when the mirth is at its height. Oakland is no longer a suburb, but has blossomed out into a thriving city of over 200,000 inhabitants, and therefore deserves the consideration of the railroad companies. They should at least give us an owl service on New Year's eve.

## A Christmas Recollection.

By HELENA SMITH.

We sit around our festive board.

Laden with Christmas cheer,  
And note the change old Time has wrought  
Within the passing year.

Yes, note the changes, for we miss  
Some smiling face of yore.  
We miss the joyous laughter  
Of some long gone before.

The dancing firelight flickers  
On holly and mistletoe,  
And my thoughts have gone in the flames  
To the times of long ago.

The time when those hands now gone to dust  
Were soft and warm within mine,  
The time when her red lips whispered  
In life and death I'll be thine.

Ah, the holly did not seem so bright  
To me as her lips of red,  
As she stood 'neath the waxy mistletoe  
With bright downcast eyes and head.

That kiss still burns on my lips,  
I can see her as she stood,  
Her brown hair peeping shyly out  
From beneath a scarlet hood.

The frightened look in her big dark eyes  
As my burning lips met her own.  
But now I start and wake from my dream  
To find that I am alone.

Alone? Not quite. For a little face  
Comes near and begs for a kiss,  
A curly head wreathed in holly,  
The same dark eyes that I miss.

Those pouting lips are your own, dear,  
That I kissed long years ago.  
For I cannot think of that lonely grave  
Beneath the Christmas snow.

Darling, I know you are near me,  
Your spirit is here from the dead.  
So I press another kiss for you  
On the dear little curly head.

## A RATHER SLOW AMBULANCE.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: Through your valuable paper I desire to have brought to the attention of the general public and especially team owners or Oakland a very sad affair of recent occurrence, causing the loss of a very valuable truck horse, valued at \$350. And in so doing hope if the following suggestions be acted upon the same may not occur again. W. H. Parrish, an Oakland drayman the past thirty years, sent one of his best dray horses to the shop to be shod. While there the horse was taken ill, and Mr. Parrish notified at once. Mr. Parrish responded immediately and notified Dr. Archibald, the veterinary surgeon, who advised that the horse be taken to the barn for treatment. The animal ambulance was phoned for at once, 11 a.m., with orders to spare no expense or time, as the case was important. It was necessary to phone to Oakland to the jeweler who has charge of this animal ambulance and also several ladies interested in the same. When a sufficient representation, both male and female, of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was assembled, the ambulance was gotten out and hurried (?) to the aid of the sick horse. By this time three hours and fifteen minutes had elapsed, the ambulance arriving at 2:30 p.m. The result of this delay was the death of the horse the next day. Inasmuch as this ambulance was built and purchased by moneys secured by popular subscription, the loser of the above mentioned horse, we believe, being one of the contributors, to be used as a public utility for the general public and not for parade purposes, we would suggest that it be placed in the care and keeping of the police department, with a competent man who understands horses to look after same. It should be available on short notice and at all times. This is not the first occasion for complaint of this kind, but we do hope and trust it may be the last.

Thanking you in advance, I am, yours truly,

S. A. WILLIARD,

Secretary Express Draymen's Association, Alameda county.

## MORE POLITIC.

"Why do you avoid making speeches yourself?" asked the friend.

"It's better to have some one else attend to the oratory," answered Senator Sorghum. "In that way you can ascertain which of your opinions are unpopular and repudiate them."—Washington Star.

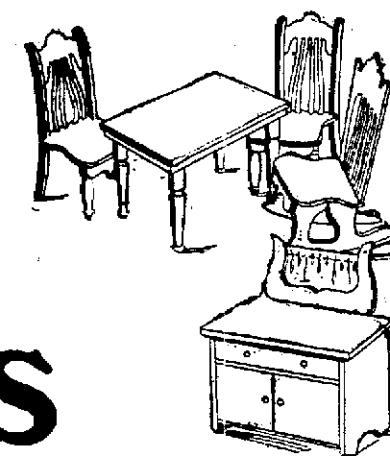
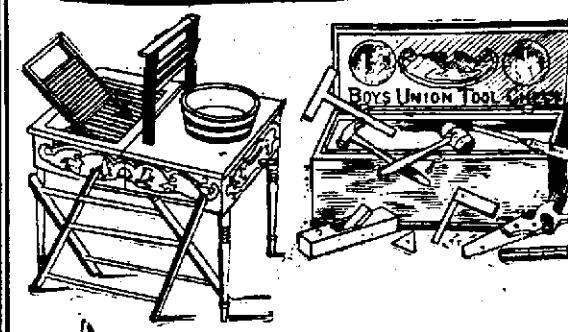
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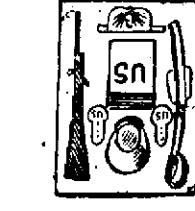
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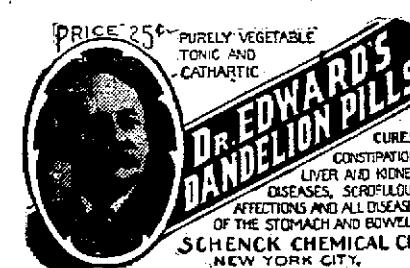
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# RECEPTIONS ANNOUNCED FOR NEW YEAR SEVERAL SEASONABLE AFFAIRS ON CALENDAR

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY IS HAPPY EVENT AT THE HOME CLUB

## SOCIETY NEWS OF THE DAY

Weddings are celebrated in Church and Home—Gossip of Interest.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dabney and Miss Clara Dabney entertained at one of the most delightful of holiday affairs given at their Webster street home. Cards and a supper rounded up the evening's pleasure.

Among the guests were: Earl Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Schwander, Horace Loomis, Miss Hattie Alexander, Carl Seubiger, Clayton Simpson of Chicago, and a few others.

### CHRISTMAS PARTY.

The Christmas party given yesterday at the Home Club for the children of the members and the Cottage children was a delightful success and about 400 little ones enjoyed the affair. An immense Christmas tree, lighted with incandescent lights, was the centre of attraction and Santa Claus dispensed presents during the afternoon. Music and games completed a very happy day.

Mrs. H. C. Capwell was in charge of the affair and was assisted in her kind office by Miss Gertrude Carleton, Miss Margaret Taylor, Mrs. Walter Starr, Mrs. George Chambers, Mrs. Wallace Alexander and others.

### NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kelley will hold a New Year's reception at their attractive home. A number of guests from both sides of the bay will enjoy the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley will be assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Tubbs Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lund Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lowden, Miss Norma Castle, Philip Fry, Emory Farnham, George McDougal, Miss Katherine Kutz, James Kutz, Miss Muriel Kelley and Miss Evelyn Hussey.

### COVALT-BELL.

The marriage of Miss Agnes Gericke and Dr. Harry D. Bell, of this city, took place yesterday at the home of the bride's father, A. L. Gericke, of Northern Marin. Only the immediate relatives were present.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Cullen, an old friend of the Gericke family. A wedding breakfast and reception followed the ceremony.

Dr. and Mrs. Bell will make their home in this city, where the groom is engaged in the practice of his profession.

### BURR-LARSEN.

Miss Gertrude Burr, formerly a teacher in the Alameda school department, became the bride of Nels A. Larsen last Wednesday. The ceremony was performed at the First Baptist church, the Rev. William Spence officiating.

The four bridesmaids, who also acted as ushers, were Miss Ray Burdick, Miss Myrtle Ward, Miss Hattie Lawler and Miss Ruth Terninger.

After the church ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Burr, of Arbor street.

Mr. and Mrs. Larsen will reside in San Pedro, where the groom is connected with the First National Bank.

### HARTLEY-MACLEAN.

The wedding of Miss Clara E. Hartley and Thomas B. MacLean was solemnized Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents on Fulton street, Berkeley.

The house was decorated with Christmas berries and greens, and over a hundred friends witnessed the pretty ceremony.

The bride wore a handsome gown of dark blue broadcloth, while the maid of honor, Miss Florence Kahn of San Francisco, wore pale blue crepe. Charles Forston of Canada acted as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. MacLean will spend a month visiting in the cities of the Northwest, Portland, Spokane and other places. They will make their home in Berkeley.

### EASTERN TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Heeseman departed for New York and Eastern points upon yesterday's overland limited. Mr. Heeseman goes to purchase the spring stock for his Oakland and Berkeley stores. Mrs. Heeseman joins

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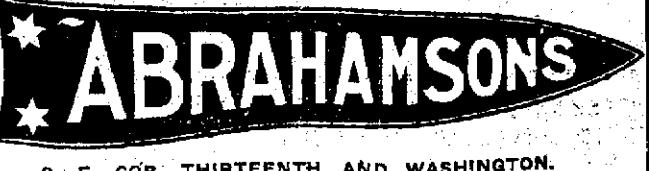
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We have carefully prepared a sale of holiday merchandise and goods for immediate use at special prices. These items will be placed on sale Saturday and Monday. You can judge for yourself as to the value here given. We need not deliberate about the prices. Read below the following:

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| Rubber tire, ball bearing Automobiles, formerly \$12.50, reduced to \$.10.        |             |
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100 dozen fast black School Hose, seamless, extra special knee, double heel, toe and sole, made of the best quality selected cotton; very fine gauge; all sizes. Regular 25c value. Saturday and Monday—yard..... 17c

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Liberty Satin Taffeta, 4½ inches wide; colors white, cream, blue, pink, Nile, dark green, scarlet, cardinal, brown, navy, lilac, purple and black. Saturday and Monday—yard..... 19c

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Philological Association of Pacific Coast Opens Regular Session.

BERKELEY, Dec. 28.—The Philological Association of the Pacific Coast met yesterday afternoon in California Hall on the University campus in the first of several sessions. The meeting yesterday was devoted to the reading of reports and the appointment of committees. The association has for its object the encouragement of research work in the languages taught in the universities and seminaries of Washington, Oregon, California, Nevada and Arizona. The best methods to pursue in instruction is also to be taken up and discussed. Professor Edward B. Clapp, instructor of Greek language and literature at the University of California, is president, and Professor L. J. Richardson, assistant instructor of Latin, also of the University here, is secretary-treasurer of the organization. Some thirty or forty delegates are in attendance.

## REPORTS HEARD.

Reports of the auditing committee, secretary-treasurer and executive committee were read, a nominating committee appointed, committed to select the time and place for next year's meeting chosen, and papers read by members of association.

Professor W. A. Merrill read a paper on "Lucretius"; Professor S. A. Chambers one on "A Legend of Zorilla," and Professor J. E. Seeger one on "Helen as a Prophet." These three men are instructors at the University.

A 6 o'clock last evening a meeting was held in the auditorium of California Hall. The feature of this session was the president's annual address, which was delivered by Professor Edward B. Clapp. His subject was "The Mind of Pindar."

## FRIDAY MORNING SESSION.

The session of today was convened at 9:30 o'clock and was devoted to the reading of papers as follows: "Roman Burial Inscriptions," by Professor J. E. Church of the University of Nevada; "A Note on Latin Syntax," Professor H. C. Nutting, California; "The Plat—Structure of the Sanskrit Drama," Professor A. W. Ryder, California; (a) "A Study in Plato," (b) "The Character of the Hero in the Aeneid," Professor H. Fairclough, Stanford; "Plautus," B. H. Cerri, California.

## FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the association was convened again. The following papers were read: "Plata," Professor J. Elmore, Stanford; "Propertius," Professor B. O. Foster, Stanford; "Style and Habit," Dr. E. P. Kurtz, California; "An Old French Lay," Professor J. Matzke, Stanford; "Victor Hugo's Choice of Words," Professor R. Dupouy, California.

## SATURDAY MORNING.

The last session of the association will begin tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Papers will be read in the following order: "The Greek Drama," Professor J. T. Allen, California; "Theocritus," Professor A. T. Murray, Stanford; "A Passage of Gothic," Professor H. K. Schilling, California; "Plautus," Professor H. W. Crescett, California; "The Island at the Throne of Jashwah," Professor William Frederic Bade of the Pacific Theological Seminary; "The Dialects of Certain Californian Indians," Professor A. L. Kroeker, California.

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## PROTESTS USE OF SEWERS BY OUTSIDE TERRITORIES

President of Council Declares Many Enjoy Privileges Which Do Not Belong to Them.

The use of Oakland's sewer system by outside territories was protested against by George Fitzgerald, president of the City Council last night at the meeting of that body, and the Board of Public Works was instructed to ascertain the status of the use of these sewers free of charge and report to the council.

For instance, in part: "Many people outside of Oakland are using the sewers of this city. I want to know why this is allowed and desire that the matter be investigated."

The council agreed with Fitzgerald and passed a motion requesting an investigation by the Board of Works through the Superintendent of Streets.

### ACCEPT INVITATION

The invitation from the Merchants' Exchange to the members of the City Council and members of the council at the New Year reception of the organization to be held on January 1 from 1 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon was accepted.

The resolution, comprising 1,000 additional words for the purpose of purchasing an automobile for the chief was referred to the auditing and financial committee, which reported a resolution providing \$495 for the purchase of a lot on Laurel street near Cemetery creek for the curing of a right of way for the proposed new bridge across the creek.

The resolution requiring the Ransome Construction Company to appear before the council and show cause why street work on Second Street, which had not been completed, should be drawn on the fire fund was sent to the street committee for consideration.

The resolution was drawn up at the

request of Mayor Mott, who declared that the Ransome company was only "footing" with the city officials and asking unnecessary delays.

### ECHO AVENUE SEWER

An Echo avenue is now being manufactured a resolution was adopted authorizing the construction of a sewer under Echo avenue, a portion of the Cemetery creek system. The measure was introduced by Councilman Burns.

California Cotton Mills was granted permission to lay down an eight-inch cast iron pipe in Valdez street from Echo avenue to its plant, and similarly, to use the pipes for carrying salt water to be used for fire purposes. The resolution granting the permission was introduced by Councilman McLean.

Councilman McLean, in his speech, ap-

pealed to the public to contribute \$100 for the purchase of a lot on Laurel street near Cemetery creek for the curing of a right of way for the proposed new bridge across the creek.

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## PRECINCTS ESTABLISHED

## SELLS PAPERS TO GET HOME

Council Anticipates Primary Election to be Held January 29.

Precincts for the primary election which is to be held January 29, 1907 were established last night by the city council at its meeting.

The resolution establishing the precincts is as follows:

Whereas the Primary Election Act approved March 23, 1901 provides for the establishing of primary election precincts prior to the filing of petitions of the political organizations entitled to participate in the ensuing primaries, and

Whereas the date of the primary election to be held in the city of Oakland for election delegates to the municipal convention to be held to nominate officers to be voted for at the next city election will be January 29, 1907 and

Whereas the petitioners of political organizations above referred to must under the law be filed on or prior to December 29, 1906,

Resolved, That primary precincts be and are hereby established and declared to be the following general election precincts or combinations of the general election precincts of this city, adopted by the board of supervisors of the county of Alameda, June 2, 1902:

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No. 2 is Third and Fourth precincts of the First Ward.

No. 3 is Fifth precinct of the First Ward.

No. 4 is Sixth precinct of the First Ward.

No. 5 is Seventh precinct of the First Ward.

No. 6 is Eighth and Tenth precincts of the First Ward.

No. 7 is Ninth precinct of the First Ward.

No. 8 is First and Second precincts of the Second Ward.

No. 9 is Third and Fourth precincts of the Second Ward.

No. 10 is Fifth, Sixth and Seventh precincts of the Second Ward.

No. 11 is Eighth and Ninth precincts of the Second Ward.

No. 12 is Tenth, Eleventh and Twelfth precincts of the Second Ward.

No. 13 is First, Second and Third precincts of the Third Ward.

No. 14 is Fourth and Fifth precincts of the Third Ward.

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No. 17 is Tenth and Eleventh precincts of the Third Ward.

No. 18 is First, Second and Third precincts of the Fourth Ward.

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No. 20 is Sixth and Seventh precincts of the Fourth Ward.

No. 21 is Eighth precinct of the Fourth Ward.

No. 22 is Ninth and Tenth precincts of the Fourth Ward.

No. 23 is Eleventh and Twelfth precincts of the Fourth Ward.

No. 24 is First, Second and Third precincts of the Fifth Ward.

No. 25 is Fourth, Fifth and Sixth precincts of the Fifth Ward.

No. 26 is Seventh, Eighth and Ninth precincts of the Fifth Ward.

No. 27 is Tenth precinct of the Fifth Ward.

No. 28 is Eleventh precinct of the Fifth Ward.

No. 29 is First, Second and Third precincts of the Sixth Ward.

No. 30 is Fourth, Fifth and Sixth precincts of the Sixth Ward.

No. 31 is Seventh, Eighth and Ninth precincts of the Sixth Ward.

No. 32 is Tenth, Eleventh and Twelfth precincts of the Sixth Ward.

No. 33 is First, Second and Twelfth precincts of the Seventh Ward.

No. 34 is Third, Fourth and Eleventh precincts of the Seventh Ward.

No. 35 is Fifth, Sixth and Seventh precincts of the Seventh Ward.

No. 36 is Eighth, Ninth and Tenth precincts of the Seventh Ward.

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## SERVICES BY ODD FELLOWS

Funeral of Late J. A. Whiteside  
Held Yesterday Afternoon  
in Richmond.

RICHMOND Dec. 28.—The body of the deceased was brought here yesterday afternoon in charge of William Ellis. The remains were also accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Whiteside, widow of the deceased and three sisters. A delegation from Zephyr Rebekah Lodge went from here yesterday morning to pay their respects to the relatives at Stockton. The funeral services were held yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock from Fraternal Hall, the ritualistic service of the Odd Fellows, of which our deceased was a prominent member, being used. The hall was filled to overflowing by the concourse which gathered to pay their last respects to the departed. The city hall was closed and all business suspended during the hour of the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Brown, the civil engineer, formerly a resident of this place, came down from the Klamath country, where he is employed on the Northern Pacific, to look after personal interests.

Miss Leontine Trautvetter is visiting her grandmother at Belmont this week.

Mrs. Myrtle Riddle left yesterday for Fresno for a two weeks' visit with friends.

### UNIVERSITY IS IN BARGAIN CONTEST.

NEW Haven, Conn., Dec. 28.—Lee McClung, treasurer of Yale, offers for sale Ingham University at Leroy, near Rochester, N. Y. The land and buildings were left to Yale by William Lampson a Yale graduate, when he died in 1897. His gift was valued at about \$100,000. McClung said:

"It is always true that our investments are of an A-1 nature, and as

evidencing this I may state that of Yale University holdings of property in Leroy, N. Y. there is no better investment than we would be pleased to sell on

very low terms to anyone making due application, and if it may prove an incentive to the consumption of the deal

it should be very much pleasured in

the cemetery, which is located on the grounds."

## TROLLEY MAN ON CARPET

Manager Potter Before the City Council Promises to Give Better Service.

Manager Potter of the Oakland Traction Consolidated was on the carpet before the City Council last night to answer charges made by Councilman Atkinson of East Oakland, that the service being given this city by the car company was inadequate and poor. After hearing the complaints of several others along Telegraph avenue were alighted. Manager Potter promised to remedy the trouble, as well as those who asserted that there are too many blockades on Broadway near Seventh street, and that cars should be run to First and Broadway, instead of being switched at Seventh street.

and wait for a car, and when one does come along have it pass him?"

Potter asserted that he did not aware that the service on the East Fourteenth street line had been bad, but stated that the cars on that line had been delayed many times during the reconstruction of the Hayward line, and that owing to the fact they often ran in circles, necessitating that the head car should run ahead and not pick up all the intending passengers. "Our men have instructions," the speaker said, "to run the car for the convenience of the public and to leave all passengers in specific instance made to me."

"Well, the service is very poor, and something must be done to remedy the trouble," averred Councilman Atkinson.

"The residents are becoming tired of

kidding," he said, "and I would urge that immediate action be taken."

Councilman Thurston pointed out an instance of the delaying of cars in front of El Liberty Daylight, a place where the manager is.

He asserted that in order to accommodate patrons of the theater others along Telegraph avenue were alighted. Manager Potter promised to

remedy the trouble, as well as those who asserted that there are too many blockades on Broadway near Seventh street, and that cars should be run to First and Broadway, instead of being switched at Seventh street.

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# HEART : TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN : HOME

## TO MARRY WITH ONLY LOVE IN BANK IS FOLLY Look at the Practical Side Before Be- coming United in the Bonds of Matrimony.

To marry with only love in the bank is the height of folly. It is best to be candid on this point, for frankness may be the means of making some couples lost in Cupid's kingdom, look on the practical side of marriage before becoming united in the bonds of matrimony.

Love may be a very beautiful thing, but you cannot live on it. The baker would not give you a loaf of bread for a cartload of love. The idea seems to prevail with many young men and young women that the discussion of monetary matters spoils the true romance and sentiment of courtship. Of one thing they may be quite sure: The happiness of the marriage will be irreversibly spoiled if they do not fully understand their financial position.

It must be remembered that marriage is a most serious step, and that unless proper provision is made there will be a "rift within the lute" in a very short time. Of course, if all girls waited for marriage until their lovers' bank balance was large enough to insure against all matrimonial risks it is doubtful if they would marry at all.

But a girl should only marry a poor man if, in the first place, the latter has sufficient money with which to commence married life, and she is content that the home should be humble and the cost of living well within his means.

The great fault with many girls in love is that they are eager to marry their poor suitor, but fail to recognize the fact that they must live in a much more humble manner than that to which they have been accustomed. The result is that after a time marriage loses its enchantment, and they begin to grumble.

Maybe it will be said that the girl who truly loved a man would be quite

willing to share a hut with him for as long as was necessary. Quite so; but poverty is a hard taskmaster and has killed many a romance.

Neither is it sufficient that a lover should have just enough money to commence married life upon and be content to so remain. His sweetheart has a right to know, and should make

a point of learning, what his prospects are, whether he is ambitious to improve his position and ready to take advantage of his opportunities at all times.

Don't marry a poor man with no ambitions and energy. There are some men who never get on because they spend their time in complaining of how harshly the world has treated them, instead of trying to surmount the obstacles and difficulties in their path.

The woman who is married to such a man is to be pitied, and every girl who is engaged to a man whose position does not compare favorably with that of other members of his sex should see that the fault does not lie with him. If it does, then she should seriously consider the advisability of remaining unwed, at any rate so far as he was concerned.

Any girl with a grain of sense in her head knows that the man who has never properly supported himself, or contributed his share of expense when living with his parents, is not going to be able to support her. Matrimony with him will be the kind of grinding poverty that would kill the most robust sentiment that ever lived.

That is the poverty that has no hope to gild its horizon, and no respect to make its present endurable, and the mother should use just as much effort to keep her daughter from marrying that type of man as she would to prevent her committing suicide in any other way.

## NO LONGER DIFFICULT TO OBTAIN WOMEN SPEAKERS

### Feminine Orators Are Plentiful, Many Are Interesting, and Not a Few Are Eloquent, Says Authority.

Sixteen years ago, when I started in New York club life, it was quite difficult to get women speakers, says Mrs. Clarence Burns, president of the Little Mothers' Aid Association. Today women speakers are plentiful. Many of them are interesting and effective, and not a few are eloquent.

Not only do women speak at their own meetings, but no meeting or convention of men where matters pertaining to education, sociology and medicine are discussed is now considered complete unless women speakers take part in the proceedings.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Lease is the Bourke Cockran of New York. Mrs. Lease is the speaker par excellence of the leaders of the suffrage movement.

She is forceful, easy and graceful, with remarkable resource and sharp sense of humor.

The woman whom President Roosevelt has just appointed to look into children's and women's industrial conditions, Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, is one of the most forceful political speakers in the country. Mrs. Foster has spoken on the same platform with many of the best men speakers in the country, and has been the means of getting a large number of votes for the Republican party, especially in

the Women suffrage States.

No patriotic gathering is complete without Mrs. Donald McLean, National President of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. McLean can waver the most beautiful sentences about the flag and the duties of American citizenship that I have ever heard.

Mrs. Frederick Nathan, President of the Consumers' League, is not only one of the finest speakers in this country, but one whom London paid a high tribute to when she addressed the big meetings of the Woman's Council there.

Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, one of the leaders of the suffrage movement, has made thousands of suffragists by her persuasive oratory, and is in great demand as an after-dinner speaker.

Mrs. Stanton Blatch, daughter of Elizabeth Cady Stanton, is a very able speaker.

There are many women known in club life for their wit, among whom are Mrs. Philip Carpenter, President of the State Federation, and Mrs. Dore Lyon, Mrs. Belle Devereaux, Miss Helen Boswell and Mrs. Harry Wallerstein.

Nearly all the best women speakers talk without notes.

## DAILY PAPER FOR WOMEN IS PUBLISHED IN PEKIN

### One of the Marvels of the Age, Edited by a Celestial, Doing Much Good-- Feminine Notes of Interest.

"One of the marvels of the age is

the appearance of a daily paper for women in Pekin, China, edited by a woman, the only one to be found anywhere in the world," said Miss Kate G. Larson, at Portland, Me., in her report as foreign secretary to the women's board of missions. "It is not a Christian woman who edits it, and it is filled with strange and new thoughts. Through this paper numbers of Chinese women who never before have had the opportunity are coming under the influence of the missionaries."

Mrs. Eliza Gridley, mother of the man who commanded the Olympia at the battle of Manila, is almost 80, yet she holds a most responsible position in the general land office at

Washington. The Hon. Mrs. Bird, wife of a former prime minister of Tasmania, is a prominent Australian salvationist, while a daughter of Lieutenant-Governor Galt of Ontario, works in Canada, where Miss Macdonald, daughter of a Toronto millionaire, is an active soldier in the army.

Mme. Curie, who, with her husband, discovered radium, is the first woman who has ever been given a chair in the ancient Sorbonne University in France. She begins her lectures this month and has already astounded her learned confreres by unostentatiously sweeping out her own laboratory and persistently refusing any demonstration in her behalf from the women of Paris who wished to fittingly celebrate the occasion.



It Is Given to Few Women to Create as Much of a Sensation as Has Been Created by Mrs. Bellamy Storer Whose Picture Is Herewith Printed.

Mrs. Storer's Activity in Behalf of the Candidacy of Archbishop Ireland for a Cardinalate Led to the Retirement of Her Husband From the Diplomatic Service, and This Has Brought About a Controversy Between the Storers and President Roosevelt, in Which the Entire Country Has Been Interested.

## THE SEVERED CURL.

She found it hid in a secret place  
That women so love to make—  
A shrine she had fixed in the tender grace  
Of a sweet old memory's sake.

A tiny box with a ribbon tied,  
She brought it to me to see—  
Far as the azure and deep and wide  
Were the thoughts that it woke in me.

For there in its casket, sweet and pure,  
Preserved through the long, long years,  
With a mother's love and its sweet endure  
And its vigil of sobs and tears,  
Was a little curl of the hue of gold  
She had clipped from the little head  
In the young, sweet prime of her mother time  
When the rose in her cheek was red.

As soft and beautiful in every way—

As when she had placed it there,  
Its velvet glistened a golden ray  
To our eyes with a later care.

"Do you remember?" "Ah, yes, I do!"

I answered it ere she asked—  
The little child that we loved so true,  
And under whose love we basked.

The severed curl in its sweet repose,  
We kiss it and lay it by;  
The sob we utter, the tear that flows,  
The pang of the old heart cry—  
Ah, they are the tender pain called grief!

Though others may fill his place,  
Just for moment we long for a brief  
Bright glimpse of his dear little face.

She shuts it away in the little drawer—  
A mother cannot forget,  
Her love is a love forevermore,  
In joy, in grief, in regret;  
And though the loved that are living still  
Are pride of her life and part,  
A dead child's feet—whatever they will—  
Go treading around in her heart.

A cherished love is a tender thing,  
A cherished trinket, too;  
Through all the shadows of time they bring  
The old dreams back to you.  
And that is why 'tis a mother's way  
In secret nooks to hide

The severed curl, with its golden ray,  
In its casket bound and tied.

And that is why in the tender grace  
Of her heart for aye and aye  
She wears the gleam of a little face  
And the lilt of a lingering cry—  
A severed curl of a silken cord—  
O how they blind the years

Between the babe you took, dear Lord,

And the life of the later tears!

Baltimore Sun.

**FRENCH CREAM.** Beat the white of one egg until nearly or quite one pound of confectioner's sugar will be used. If powdered water and one-half teaspoonful of vanilla flavoring. Add confectioner's will Harden rapidly and cannot be shaped well.

## WORTHY OF A MEDAL.

Woman Saves Lives of Crews on Two Boats.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 26.—In recognition of her heroic services in an effort to save the lives of the crew of the ill-fated bark Coloma, and those doomed on the Valencia, the shipping men of Seattle have formally decided to recommend Mrs. Thomas Patterson, wife of the Cape Beale lighthouse keeper, to the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission as worthy of a medal.

D. McKenzie, general agent of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company; G. F. Thorndike of the Globe Navigation Company and W. T. Ide have been appointed a committee to present the case of Mrs. Patterson to the commission.

Substantial cash donations are pouring in from local marine men and a check for \$150 has been received from the Pacific Shipping Company of San Francisco, owners of the Coloma.

**SANG IN A CHURCH.**

Mr. Peak was so interested that he sent for Miss Norton, promising her a scholarship at his school of music if the possibilities of her voice were as great as he had been led to believe they were.

Again the golden arrow of luck had laid a wonderful gift at this young girl's feet, for as she stood in Mr. Peak's studio and sang with no thought of fear, yet without any affectation, he listened spellbound.

"You have a wonderful voice," he told her.

And thus it was her first great opportunity opened to her.

When Mr. Peak found she must still earn money to enable her to live he secured her the position of soloist at Our Lady of Mercy Church, one of the big Catholic churches of Philadelphia, where she sang nearly four years.

He permitted her also to take a few pupils.

She established a studio and became popular among the musi-

## PROTEGE OF NORDICA TO STUDY MUSIC IN ITALY

At First Meeting the Great Diva Ordered Church Singer to Give Up Work in Massachusetts Town.

Under the tutelage of Mrs. A. Heaton Robertson of New Haven, Miss Grace Norton, the cousin and protege of Nordica, has advanced so rapidly in her vocal studies that she is soon expected to go to Italy to which her musical training as soon as the great diva herself can come and make the arrangements for her trials, says the Boston Post.

This young woman, who started her musical education in Boston, is one of the most promising singers in the country today, and she has many friends who claim that she will eventually become a greater singer than Nordica.

Like Mme. Nordica, she was born in Maine. There in the little town of Garland she began the study of music when only 7 years old. At 12 she was playing the organ in the one church of her native home. Yet the study of instrumental music was not her greatest ambition. It was the voice that attracted her most. She had heard the wonderful stories told in Garland of Nordica, the great diva.

She knew this famous singer was her cousin, but she had never met her, her family and that of Nordica, who was Miss Lillian Norton before she became the celebrated Mme. Nordica, having drifted apart.

**STUDIED IN BOSTON.** It was one Sunday morning early last January, as the girl was making her way to church, that she read the notices displayed on the theatrical billboards of the appearance in Philadelphia the following week of Nordica in "Siegfried." The little singer's heart fairly leaped into her throat. The beautiful pictures she saw of her cousin as Brunnhilde charmed her. She stood so long in front of one of them that she was late in reaching church. Her choir associates were in despair. She had a solo as her share of the programme, and it was to be a feature of the music that morning.

When she arrived she sang as she had never sung before. The choirmaster had been tempted to scold her for being late. Instead he went to her with hands outstretched at the conclusion of her song.

"You must let your cousin hear you sing. She is coming to Philadelphia next week," he said.

The fair-haired girl burst into tears.

"Oh," she answered, as she clasped her hands. "Oh! that is what I want so much to do."

And so it came about that the little singer from Maine finally met Mme. Nordica, of whom she had dreamed and thought for years. Upon her return from the church that day she pondered over the best way to approach the famous singer. At last she determined to go to Nordica's hotel and present herself in person.

**PLANS TO SEE NORDICA.**

After sending a note to Mme. Nordica in her apartments at the Bellevue-Stratford the day Nordica arrived in Philadelphia, Miss Norton waited fifteen minutes in breathless suspense for the message that should pronounce her fate. When it finally came she was a joyful one. Nordica would see her the next day, and would she please come prepared to sing.

There was no sleep for the courageous girl that night, yet she went to the Bellevue-Stratford the next morning with a delightful color in her cheeks, a brilliancy in her eyes that made her beautiful. Nordica was charmed with her. She turned her round and round and looked at her long and searching.

"You are a true Norton," she said; "a true Norton. Now let us hear you sing."

Nordica's capitulation was complete. She fairly hugged her little cousin.

"You sing divinely. You must come to me at once and study," she exclaimed.

When she found that Miss Norton could not give up the churches and her pupils and still live she immediately ordered her to give up everything and accept her musical education and living as a gift from her.

She had been adopted by Nordica. It was too good almost to be true. But when Nordica told Miss Norton she wanted her to be ready to go back with her to New York that week she knew her dream was a reality, that the visions she had carried so long were at last materializing.

## YOUNG JUROR INSISTS HE DIDN'T FLIRT WITH GIRL

Cincinnati Man Says He Had No Eyes for Pretty Fannie McGuire at Damage Trial of Railroad.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 28.—George L. Steumer has filed an indignant answer to the Cincinnati Hamilton and Dayton Railroad Company's charge.

He was one of the jurors who gave a verdict for \$25,000 damages to young Miss Mollie McGuire, who lost both legs in an accident on the railroad. The heartless corporation accused Mr. Steumer, who is 24 years old, unmarried, living with his mother at Avondale, of having flirted with Miss McGuire's sister, Miss Fannie, during the trial, and so of having been gently influenced toward this verdict.

Steumer, in his answer, declares he scarcely noticed Miss Fannie in court, and adds:

"Miss Fannie McGuire sat with her sister, and her bearing and demeanor throughout the trial were those of a modest, innocent, demure and refined young lady. There was not a suggestion of such a thing as a smile, glance, or flirtation or improper conduct on her part."

"George was always popular with the girls," said Mr. Steumer's proud mother, at their home, 3506 Elm street. "He has plenty of girl friends, but no sweetheart. I have never heard him speak of Miss Fannie McGuire."

# SPORTS EDITED BY EDDIE SMITH — SPORTS

## WOOL SANDALS CHANGES FORM AND IS MEDIUM OF A KILLING

### HAWKINS' HORSE IS WINNING AT EVERY POST

OPENS AT 5 TO 1 AND IS BACKED DOWN TO 8 TO 5 AT CLOSING.

Baker Nicely Rated Put It Over Neptunes in the Sixth Race.

By LEE DEMIER.

The warm sunshine of the early morning yesterday had a tendency to dry the track enough to make the going heavy and no dog next the rail ran down the exterior. The horses were well turned out for the race and ten feet wide a path with fairly good footing was evident and invariably when the horses turned into the stretch they took this route to the judges' stand. There were no names out and every horse there was withdrawn. The first had two, the second and third one each, four declined the issue in the fourth, three in the fifth, and two in the sixth. Despite the many scratches the class of the field was up to the average for a large mid-week crowd of racegoers was present.

FIRST RACE—Como, with Walter Miller up, won the curtain-raiser with Calmar second and Al Lindley third. This event was a mile and five furlongs of ground and two starters. It was a maiden affair and as Como had shown the best of the others he was made a 1 to 4 favorite. The brown gelding never left his backers in doubt and was easily Calmar in a fine race, but had no chance to beat the winner.

SECOND RACE—The racing race with ten pounds above the scale at five furlongs went to Princess Wheeler at 30 to 1. Old Silver was second a short head behind and the third was landed by the same margin. The first five horses landed in a heap and the finish was one of the most spectacular seen here.

THIRD RACE—Chief Wittman, after opening at 10 to 1 and racing to 8 to 5, won the two-year-old race in the exact same position as the year before. Distributor, a close third. This event found McCafferty's

luck at 2 to 1 favorite, carrying a bunch of men. She made strong bid for the win, but could not quite do it.

FOURTH RACE—Alma Boy, always favorite and closing at 11 to 10, won the mile dash from Tenorade and Craw-shade. The latter set the pace first part, but had to give up the lead. Alma Boy went on about his business, winning with something to spare.

FIFTH RACE—A good thing was cut loose when Wool Sandals, after opening at 5 to 1 and closing at 6 to 5, won the two-year-old race in the exact same position as the year before. Pescadero was favorite but the wise-money went in on the winner. Pescadero was first to show in front and set the pace all the time. Alma Boy had the good thing done and won in style.

SIXTH RACE—Baker, nicely rated, came on, after Neptunes, chuckle duck up and down, and finally took a nice run and got the show of the day. Wool Sandals, who could not get out of his own way the other day, was Hawkins' horse yesterday. The "Wool-thorpe" colt was the medium of a killing, though he was not the best. He was backed down to 8 to 5, which was the prevailing price at post time. Leo Williams, who had the mount on the colt, took no chances and made every post a winning one. The odds were posted from \$100 to \$900 by Jim Neil, but the horse did not change stalls.

Alderman Batt, the horse the property of C. C. McCafferty, has been reinstated as the Ascot Park steward.

Paddy Lynch and his following took all the 10 to 1 show on Elba out of the ring. They cashed in.

Clothes Larry Sillan wired his clients Wool Sandals, who was backed down from 5 to 1 to 8 to 5 at post time.

Will Hall and his following are away ahead of the game since the opening of the racing season at Williams Park.

The boosters had an outing yesterday. The only horse having hands was Neptunes, who was claimed by J. Quintan for \$25.

Louie Hildebrand, who has been on the scene, has made his appearance at the track yesterday.

Princess Wheeler was run up from \$100 to \$1000 by C. C. McCafferty and remained.

Chief Wittman was bid up from \$600 to \$1000 by G. B. Morris and remained.

Tobin M. A. Powell. He will win a race the next time he starts.

Princess Wheeler, who won the five furlong dash, was the good thing but was not bet on.

J. J. Quidan claimed Mimo for \$25.

President T. H. Williams was told, not by the Ascot Park board of trustees that the horse Alderman Batt had renegated.

**RESULTS ON NEW ORLEANS TRACK**

### THE TRIBUNE FORM CHART

EMERYVILLE, Dec. 27, 1906.—35th day.—Weather, clear; track heavy.

E. C. HOPPER, presiding judge; RICHARD DWYER, starter.

**264 FIRST RACE**—Five furlongs; maiden two-year-olds; purse, \$400.

Ind. Horse and Owner. I.W. St. % M. % Str. Fin. Jockey. Op. Cl.

265 COMO (Marie & Co.) ..... 109 3 1 1/2 1 1 1/2 W. Miller ..... 2 1/2 1-3

27 CALMAR (A. Jackson) ..... 109 1 2 2 1/2 2 2 1/2 L. Williams ..... 10 3

28 AL LINDLEY (J. Touhey) ..... 111 6 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 Alarie ..... 8 12

29 JOHNNY LYONS (W. F. Fisher) ..... 112 2 3 2 1/2 4 2 4 2 1/2 Holler ..... 12 40

30 SAM. MCGIBBON (W. B. Jennings) ..... 112 3 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 Town ..... 13 20

31 TONIC (Oakland Stable) ..... 112 7 Full up ..... 20 20

32 TONIC (Oakland Stable) ..... 113 7 Full up ..... 20 20

Comments: placed and show out. Calmar, place, 65, show, 1-2. Lindley, show, 7-10. Times: 21 4-5, 49 4-5, 1-3. At post 1/4 minute. Off at 1:45. Start good; won easily; second driving to get up. Winner, br. g., by Bedrock-Calore; trained by John Carney. Scratches—Weatherford, Williwaw. Como had the speed of his field, romped all the way. Calmar ran to best form. Lindley outgamed 13:00 for the show. Latter in heavy going all last part. McGibbon ran a fair race. Karolyi showed nothing. Tonie ran out.

**265 SECOND RACE**—Five furlongs; selling; four-year-olds and up; purse, \$400.

Ind. Horse and Owner. I.W. St. % M. % Str. Fin. Jockey. Op. Cl.

29 PR. WHEELER (W. Fine) ..... 129 2 4 2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2 F. Kelly ..... 10 10

20 SILVER (H. Stover) ..... 129 4 1 1 1 1 1/2 N. Williams ..... 6 9-2

22 MINI (P. Sheridan) ..... 129 5 1 1 1 1 1/2 Brown ..... 5 8-2

21 AL WHEELER (McCafferty) ..... 129 6 1 1 1 1 1/2 Smith ..... 10 15

23 ALEXANDER (E. Schlesinger) ..... 129 7 2 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 Dugan ..... 7 7-3

24 ALEXANDER (E. Schlesinger) ..... 129 11 8 4 1/2 1 1/2 Fountain ..... 3 5

25 BLACK SAM (Selma St.) ..... 124 5 6 4 1/2 1 1/2 Johnson ..... 10 30

26 CHESTNUT (Lily Oak St.) ..... 128 8 5 7 1 1/2 1 1/2 Sullivan ..... 10 100

27 QUAIL (Alameda St.) ..... 129 7 10 1/2 9 3 1 1/2 Davis ..... 30 100

28 WHEATON (J. Ramsey) ..... 129 11 9 10 3 1 1/2 Larson ..... 30 100

29 ROSE (W. Fine) ..... 129 12 11 1 1/2 F. Johnson ..... 10 10

Comments: placed and show out. Calmar, place, 65, show, 1-2. Lindley, show, 7-10. Times: 21 4-5, 49 4-5, 1-3. At post 1/4 minute. Off at 1:45. Start good; won easily; second driving to get up. Winner, br. g., by Bedrock-Calore; trained by John Carney. Scratches—Weatherford, Williwaw. Como had the speed of his field, romped all the way. Calmar ran to best form. Lindley outgamed 13:00 for the show. Latter in heavy going all last part. McGibbon ran a fair race. Karolyi showed nothing. Tonie ran out.

**266 THIRD RACE**—Futurity Course, selling; three-year-olds and up; purse, \$100.

Ind. Horse and Owner. I.W. St. % M. % Str. Fin. Jockey. Op. Cl.

28 CHIEF WITTMAN (S. Fox St. Asa) ..... 104 8 4 1 1/2 1 1/2 Graham ..... 3 7

29 NONIE LUCILLE (McCafferty) ..... 101 1 2 2 1/2 2 1/2 Brussell ..... 2 2

30 SILVER (P. Sheridan) ..... 108 2 5 2 1/2 3 1/2 Horner ..... 30 30

31 MINI (P. Sheridan) ..... 108 3 1 1/2 1 1/2 Williams ..... 4 4

32 DISTRIBUTOR (T. J. Neff) ..... 108 4 1 1/2 1 1/2 Smith ..... 4 4

33 ALEXANDER (E. Schlesinger) ..... 108 5 11 1 1/2 1 1/2 McBride ..... 5 10

34 SOUNDY (A. Ingerson) ..... 105 6 7 2 1/2 1 1/2 Kirsch ..... 12 25

35 CLOTH BURE (Club St. Asa) ..... 101 3 1 1/2 1 1/2 Sandy ..... 4 7

36 POTENTIAL (P. Smith) ..... 109 4 9 2 1/2 1 1/2 Smith ..... 40 100

37 PREDATOR (A. Ingerson) ..... 105 4 1 1/2 1 1/2 Larson ..... 40 100

38 SHEEP BOY (Greenmyre Co.) ..... 106 4 1 1/2 1 1/2 Brown ..... 8 20

Comments: placed and show out. Lucille, place, 1-2; show, 2-5. Elba, show, 5-1. Times: 21 4-5, 49 4-5, 1-3. At post 1/4 minute. Off at 1:45. Start good; won easily; second driving to get up. Winner, br. b., by Rubicon—Antia D.; trained by J. McCullough. Scratches—Jake Wad. Wittman moved up fast under a hard ride. Just jounced. Lucille no excuses; did her best. Elba ran a nice race. Wetherald moved dangerous, then faded away. Distributor tired badly. Soundy a flash of speed.

**267 FOURTH RACE**—One mile; selling; three-year-olds, purse, \$400.

Ind. Horse and Owner. I.W. St. % M. % Str. Fin. Jockey. Op. Cl.

24 ALICE (G. J. Quintan) ..... 108 1 1 1/2 1 1/2 W. Miller ..... 7 5-1 10

25 TENORADE (J. Clifford) ..... 107 3 5 5 1/2 4 4 2 1/2 A. Brown ..... 7 2 10

26 CROWSHADE (W. Walker) ..... 105 5 3 1 1/2 1 1/2 Hunter ..... 3 18-5

27 MINI (Gibson (Younger & Co.) ..... 103 4 6 5 1/2 3 3 1/2 Graham ..... 7 5-1

28 ALEXANDER (W. Walker) ..... 109 3 1 1/2 1 1/2 McLaughlin ..... 7-5 9-5

29 LASKER (W. Walker) ..... 109 4 1 1/2 1 1/2 Graham ..... 7-5 9-5

30 WHEATON (W. Walker) ..... 109 5 1 1/2 1 1/2 Larson ..... 10 20

Comments: placed and show out. Tenorade, place, 1-2; show, 2-5. Elba, show, 5-1. Times: 21 4-5, 49 4-5, 1-3. At post 1/4 minute. Off at 1:45. Start good; won easily; second driving to get up. Winner, br. b., by Elmwood Farm's b. c. by Starlight—Candy. Avantius finished strongly and was first to cross the finish line. Vincit finished gamely.

**FOURTH RACE**—Selling; one mile.

Betting—Horse. St. % Fin.

6 to 6—Mountebank ..... 4 1 1 1

7 to 1—Needful ..... 1 2 2 3

15 to 1—Turkeyfoot ..... 3 4 3 3

Time: 1:46.

Start good. Won easily. J. V. Kirby, Ding Dong, Rosenini, Lady King and Buttons finished as named. Winner, br. b., by Salvation—Sweet Caporal; trained by J. Quilan. Scratches—Embossal, Frolic Jake Moose, Jim Penwergast. Boy ran over his field after passing the half; had enough left to stall at Tenorade. The latter hung in final strides. Crowshade stumbled and came right. Wetherald moved dangerous, then faded away. Distributor tired badly. Soundy a flash of speed.

**268 FIFTH RACE**—Five and one-half furlongs; selling; two-year-olds; purse, \$400.

Ind. Horse and Owner. I.W. St. % M. % Str. Fin. Jockey. Op. Cl.

25 WOOL SANDALS (W. Applegate) ..... 112 5 2 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 Williams ..... 5 10

26 WHEATON (W. Applegate) ..... 112 1 3 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 Williams ..... 5 10

27 KODA (F. Smith & Co.) ..... 109 2 3 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 Brown ..... 5 15

28 MAIA (Strawn & Son) ..... 109 2 8 4 3 1/2 1 1/2 Walsh ..... 6 15

29 COCO (Hall & Co.) ..... 109 3 7 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 McRide ..... 10 20

30 PESADERO (E. Rowell) ..... 109 4 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 Graham ..... 7-5 9-5

31 LASER (W. P. Wilson) ..... 109 5 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 Graham ..... 7-5 9-5

32 WHEATON (W. Wilson) ..... 109 6 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 Larson ..... 10 20

Comments: placed and show out. Maia, place, 2-3; show, 2-5. Maia, place, 2-3; show, 2-5. Times: 21 4-5, 50 4-5, 1-5. At post 1/4 minute. Off at 1:45. Start good; won easily; second driving to get up. Winner, br. b., by Woolworth-Winged Wings; trained by R. Campbell. Scratches—Feeless Lass, Silver Line, Bushwhopper. Sandals in good position, won in a romp when let down. Merchant hung on gamely; Wetherald hung in final strides. Pescadero stopped badly. Wetherald moved dangerous, then faded away. Wetherald bid up from \$400 to \$900 by Jim Neil, and remained.

**269 SIXTH RACE**—One mile and fifty yards; selling; all ages, purse, \$400.

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## DIE OF COLD IN STREETS, SINK WITH WRECKED SHIPS

**Terrible Conditions Exist in Great Britain,  
Where the Worst Storm in Years  
Is Raging.**

LONDON, Dec. 28.—The crew of the Japanese liner Ama Maru, which ran on the rocks off Red Car last night, were taken off by lifeboats.

A telegram from Holy Head says

an unknown vessel has foundered off Rhoscolyn Point, Wales. Distress rockets were sent up last night and a lifeboat put out and searched for hours but found no sign of the vessel.

Nine persons have been found frozen to death on roads in England alone during the past twenty-four hours.

The continuing snowfall has created

practically an unprecedented situation,

the worst known in thirty years in Great Britain and the conditions ex-

isting here apparently are general throughout Europe. From all parts

of Great Britain come stories of trains

## PASSING OF A STAGE STAR

Few to Mourn for Sylvia Ger-  
rish, a West Oakland  
Girl.

BY F. R. PORTER

In San Francisco Dramatic Review. Sylvia Gerrish was interred a week or so ago at Fresh Pond Necropolis, Long Island. But one coach conveyed mourners to the grave. Yet in her earlier lifetime Sylvia Gerrish had many friends and admirers.

As a girl she dwelt in West Oakland, and her right name was Lillian Rollins. When about to quit her teens she was a handsome girl, in height several inches more than five feet, and esteemed for her gracious manners. She became a church choir singer, and her voice was eventually pronounced fit for stage service.

When she joined the famous New York Casino Company in the middle '90's, she soon took rank as an attraction with her fellow-associates, Lillian Russell, Fanny Rice and Isabelle Urquhart. She got to be the idol of the "Johnnies." Trimly built, and blessed with a seven-inch ample and a fifteen-inch calf, and all her limbs in fine proportion, she was ever a hit in boys' parts. As Adolph in "The Brigands," where she was attired in doublets and tights of snow-white hue, the symmetry of her person blended with the chivalry of her action, so that she became of high vogue in the art. But her vocal power never developed to the melodic pitch she sought.

In 1888-90 she returned to Oakland, and there resided for eight or ten months. She had withdrawn from a footlights' career. The elegant part remained, but the torso part of her body was assuming the May Irwin plumpness of some years ago. Her physical capacity was also not at normal grade. Her genius for making friends was now her chief magnet. Her niceness of bearing, in conjunction with her New York prestige as a comic opera divinity, did much to endear her to the railroad magnate, Col. C. Fred Crocker, who "popped the question" to her in the spring of 1890. But she said him "Nay," for her heart was set on young Hilton, son of that Judge Hines Hilton who inherited so much of the wealth of Alex. T. Stewart, the dry goods Croesus.

Her New York conquest was married, but a divorce was in prospect. Accordingly, Col. Crocker failed to induce her to become the stepmother of his children. She bled herself back to New York, and her relations with Hilton took on a consequence that afforded matter for the public prints. No Knickerbocker dame of Gotham had a pleasanter time, and Poverty's tread was far away. She had expended of her wealth benevolently. A trip to Europe had been one gift to members of her family. In the course of years Hilton became the husband of Sylvia Gerrish. His first wife died. He was large, of the John L. Sullivan bulk. Not his constitution was affected. Not many months after he succumbed, and his estate was found to be terribly encumbered. The family residence at Morris Heights was frequently visited by sheriffs' officers with writs. Money got to be very scarce with the widow, she of that nationally known sobriquet, Sylvia Gerrish.

Pinched by the want that frenzied Catterton, and which has humbled so many proud souls, Sylvia Gerrish heard almost constantly in her ears the knell of despair. She was no longer the comely, buxom, erstwhile lure of the Casino. The "Johnnies" of her reign had vanished. So, harrassed by an implacable Fate, she lingered and endured privations until the fell constable, Death, signalled: "Hold, enough!" Sylvia Gerrish was the destined one of four to go earliest, for Fanny Rice is probably dead, and somewhere buried in my little while men, of Isabelle Urquhart or of Lillian Russell, whose Marton to C. Hayden Coffin's Chevalier Franz de Bernheim in "La Cigale" at the Baldwin theater in September, 1892, is yet fresh in mind to lots of Dramatic Review readers of this Yule-log season.

## Ladies Quit Work And Form Union

All women doing their own washing formed a union and passed a resolution that they would not wash anymore unless WASHEZE was furnished them so that they can wash without rubbing the clothes.

## CASTORIA

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business men.  
Mr. Holmes was born in Foxcroft, Maine, in 1832; son of Hon. James Stuart Holmes, a prominent attorney and able jurist. He received his education and graduated from Foxcroft Academy, prepared to enter college, but finally concluded to take up a business life, for which he was so well adapted. In 1852 he came to California, and, like the young men of his day, engaged at first in mining, but, in the latter part of the fifties he became associated with the lumber firm of Renton, Smith & Co.

A few years later, after the demise of Mr. Smith Mr. Holmes, by his unusual business ability and quick conception of the company's business requirements, became the general manager, and later senior partner of the firm, under the name of ent. Holmes & Co., with their large mills and immense lumber output at Port Blakely, Wash. It was mainly through his personal efforts, business conception and good judgment that the firm became the "principal lumber company" in connection in the export trade, and in connection with their immense retail business made them the largest factor in the lumber business in California.

Three years ago he and his associates sold their company, with all its vast holdings of mills, timber, lands, vessels, etc., to a large Michigan and San Francisco lumber company, and in 1905 Mr. Holmes retired from active business, devoting himself to his personal interests in the Holmes Investment Company, the management of which will now devolve upon his sons, C. Edward and Clarence E.

Mr. Holmes was a marked figure among his associates, winning their esteem and respect by reason of his sterling and upright qualities, and their personal affection and regard for him as an esteemed friend. He was a pioneer member of the Mount Mariah Lodge of F. & A. M. of San Francisco, and for many years a trustee of the Y. M. C. A., and an active member of Grace M. E. church.

In his immediate family his loss will be deeply felt by his widow, two sons and two daughters, whose best inheritance, will be the honored name they bear.

## CHARLES S. HOLMES HAS PASSED AWAY.

The passing of Charles Stuart Holmes, whose death at his residence in Belvedere on Christmas Eve has aroused the deepest sympathy of the community, and marks the loss of one of San Francisco's prominent pioneer

men.

His immediate family his loss will be deeply felt by his widow, two sons and two daughters, whose best inheritance, will be the honored name they bear.

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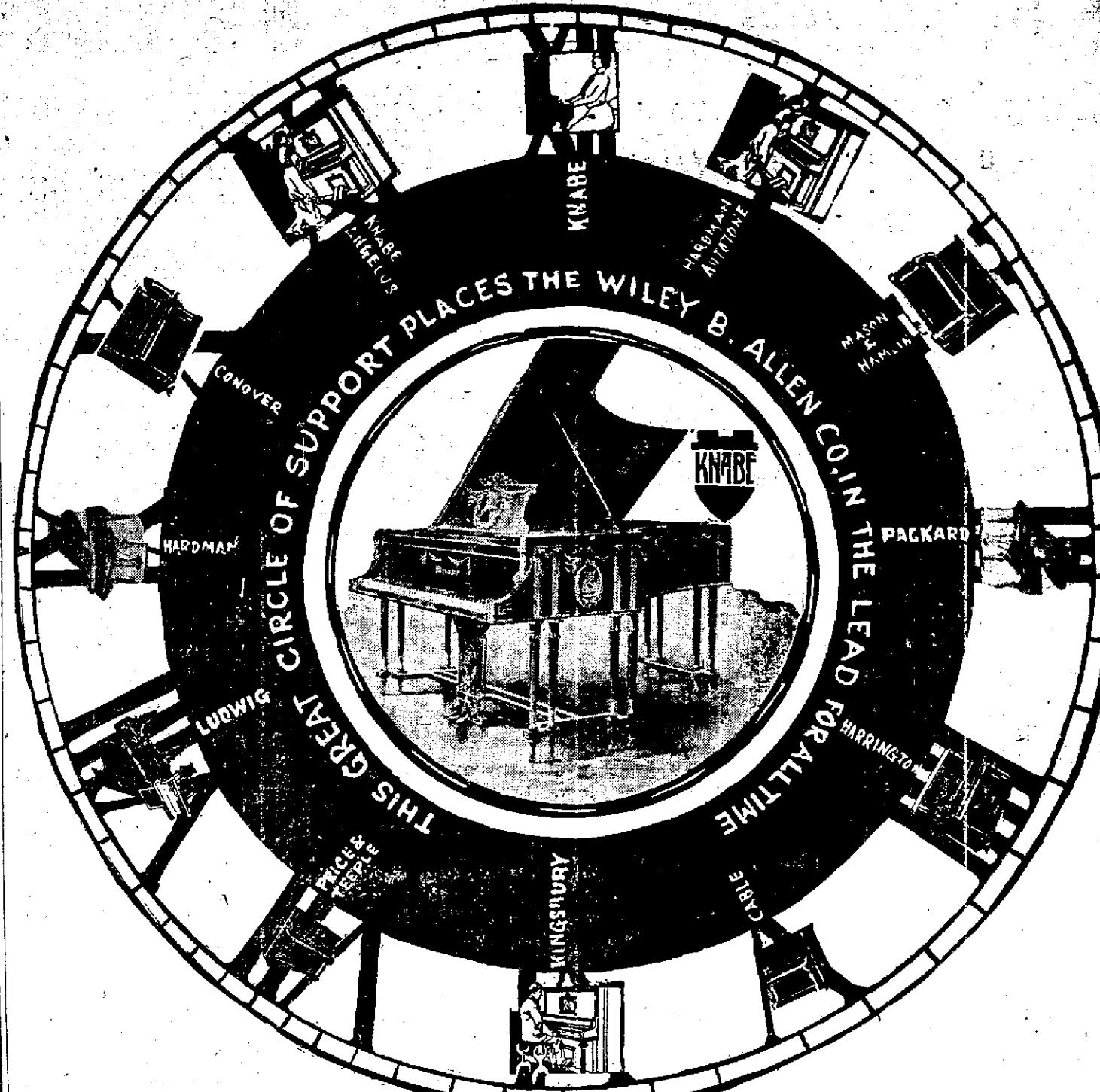
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# BILL IS FULL OF LITTLE JOKERS

Alcohol Bill Is Like a Wood Pile Wherein Hides a Husky Darky.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—It was generally supposed when Congress passed the denatured alcohol bill that after January 1st the motorists would have "free alcohol" and so cavorting around the country snapping their fingers at the oil trust. As usual the public and the motorists in particular have been handed a lemon and it is no longer surprising that the Standard Oil Interests allowed the bill to become a law without any opposition on their part.

"There are several little jokers in the bill which will run up the cost of the product to such an extent as to make it almost prohibitive for use in automobiles. Charles E. Duryea of Read- ing, Pa., thinks the motorists have been gold-bricked and suggests that the A. A. M. C. M. and other associations interested in looking into the interests of standardization making it possible as they do in Germany for a farmer or any one to own a still which is sealed by a government officer and when filled with alcohol can be opened and denatured under the eye of a government inspector. Mr. Duryea says:

"The Congressman who voted for the so-called free alcohol bill did not intend that it should be converted by the manipulation of the internal revenue bureau into a gold brick for the farmer. They thought they were bestowing a boon on every farmer. But some flaws were left in the bill which have enabled the revenue office which actively opposed its passage, to rob it of every cent of value as providing a cheap material for power, light and fuel. The lowest cost at which it can be furnished is said to be 35 cents per gallon. This makes it impossible to compete with gasoline, coal oil and other fuels and illuminants."

The only beneficiaries of the bill are the manufacturers, who were previously handicapped in competition with European rivals by the \$2.18 tax. The chief tools used by the internal revenue officials in cheating the farmers out of the benefits expected from the law have been the requirement of the use of a large percentage of wood alcohol as a denaturizer, the requirements of a separate inspector for every distilling plant and the limitation of the privilege of manufacture to distilleries having a capacity of not less than 500 gallons of alcohol per day.

Even one of the requirements are shown by the experience of Germany and Cuba to be unnecessary. In Cuba the alcohol is denatured with a mixture recommended by the Academy of Science, and claimed to cost much less than one cent per gallon. The use in the United States of wood alcohol, controlled by a trust, makes the cost of denaturing 7½ cents per gallon. In Germany the cost of inspection is probably not a twentieth part of that imposed by our astute American revenue officials. Congress is sure to have this business again brought to its attention at this session. Never did an American executive bureau apparently so flagrantly defeat the manifest intention of that body as the has the internal revenue bureau for the time being."

## MARRIAGE FAILS, IS THEIR OPINION

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Marriage is a failure. A cathedral in Brooklyn, made up of some of the brightest lawyers, doctors and professional men of the borough, so decided last night after a spirited debate. Even married men voted against the married life champions.

The debate was not a joke. It was serious, though the debaters were soon ranking under personalities. For the married men the exponents were Peter P. Smith, ex-Assistant District Attorney Edward Taylor, Miss M. McDonald and Louis E. Drummond. For the bachelors were John J. Kuhn, G. F. Campbell, Edward T. Edwards and Edward C. Edwards.

The decision was based solely on the presentation of the argument, and after the judges had delivered their opinion the 100-odd men present took a vote, and found themselves unanimous in deciding on the argument that marriage is a total failure.

## CHINESE UNEARTH MURDER MYSTERY.

NANAIMO, B. C., Dec. 28.—A deep mystery, perhaps a tragedy, comes from old South China, came to us from horse and buggy roaming around in the woods. After investigating trucks made by the buggy they showed that it had come from Millstone river. Following up their clue the Orientals discovered the body of a student, who had lately returned from a study in which he had been engaged in the stream. At present writing there is no supposition of circumstances under which Livingston met his death. The whole affair is wrapped in mystery. A report from the Chinese said that Livingston is said to have heard a dirge playing his house late last night the occupants being engaged in loud conversation.

## FOUR YEARS' TOUR FOR \$20,000 PRIZE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—William K. McBeth, who started from Scotdale, Penn., to visit all of the capitals of the United States on horseback, arrived in Washington yesterday. He checked and visited the White House. His trip is to be made for a purse of \$20,000.

McBeth is not permitted to buy or anything for the sustenance of himself or his mount, and must depend entirely for his food and shelter on the courtesy of friends and strangers.

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UNFURNISHED 5-room flat, close by business of housekeeping. \$15 monthly. Box 415, Broadway.

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A FLAT of 4 rooms, fully furnished rooms for housekeeping; \$35 a month; no furniture; clean, plain weekly. Phone Berkely 2567, 611 16th st., Alameda.

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FURNISHED apartment of three flats, 3 or 4 rooms and bath; no maid, wife, daughter, grown. Address Box 438, Tribune.

NEWLY furnished 3-room flat; upright piano; rent \$20; \$35; must sell. \$75. Telephone ave.

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Beautiful 2-story residence of 10 rooms near Santa Clara ave; all modern improvements, including Ruth instantaneous water heater, giving hot water throughout house, parlor, fireplaces, etc. All conveniences, beautiful view, in the Lakeside residence district. Lot 50x125.

**Price \$9000**

Also 40 feet on the corner adjoining belonging to same owner, which can be bought if desired. (831)

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\$4750—I have a new two-story colonial house on 32nd street, near Grove, with six large rooms, hall, pantry, bath, laundry, closets, etc., entirely modern, fine art glass, marble mantels, etc.; complete; drive way, deep lot; street work, windows, etc., complete; will ready to occupy in about three weeks. Terms: Half cash, balance paid monthly. This is a good house, well located, and at a bargain. Apply at No. 529 Hobart street, after 3 p. m. Phone Oakland 541.

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15x50, located on main line of Southern Pacific Railroad and on Western Pacific right of way; also 100 ft. back in East end next ten days for \$35 per front foot. Other adjoining property selling at \$100 per front foot. Oakland Tribune, Box 447.

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**\$2650**

Lydia street near Curtis, 25x100, cottage of 4 rooms and bath in splendid condition, barn

**\$9500**

Southeast corner on 7th street, east of Center street, 25x10, store and cottage; 5 years' lease at average monthly income of \$80

**\$3000**

A good chance for a builder, 100 feet fronting on Shattuck ave by 150 feet deep. Street work all done, near 38th st

**\$12,500**

A magnificent piece of ground above Piedmont Springs just the place for an elegant home with splendid grounds or a good piece for subdivision. It is 150x900 feet deep. Would make four lots, 75x150

**\$5000**

Splendid corner home at Eighteenth and Chestnut sts., 7 rooms and bath, modern; convenient to the Key Route trains, one block to the street-car.

**\$15,000**

This choice home on 34th st., near Telegraph ave, on high and slightly ground, consisting of a 2-story house of 8 rooms and bath with a large attic, basement small 4-room cottage in the rear, could be used for servants' quarters; lot, 100x15

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Here is a capital investment in East Oakland, right across to 2nd ave, situated in a district that is surrounded by thriving factories and homes of good wage-earners and mechanics. Property consists of a storied and flat of 10 rooms and bath with a large attic, basement small 4-room cottage in the rear, could be used for servants' quarters; lot, 100x15

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Will buy a piece of ground on a corner, 90x90, on one of the best coming business streets in Oakland, right in the midst of the activity today. Small improvements on property now. No lease.

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We have some fine buys on Telegraph ave which we would like to show you.

**10 PER CENT INVESTMENT and a home**

A beautiful five-room and bath bungalow, modern in every respect, convenient to Key Route, three car lines, local shopping district and school, large, deep lot; splendid neighborhood; macadamized wind-protected street; bright, sunny, broad room, 1500 sq. ft. plus, \$10,000 all told, a price fully \$500 below market value.

**10 PER CENT INVESTMENT and a home**

12 room house divided into 2 flats of 6 rooms each, with separate entrances, interior hardwood finish, inlaid mantels, with mirrors, rooms all large and well arranged, through-hall, heated chicken yard; upper flat letting for \$40. This will give you a nice income as well as a home all for \$4000; terms \$2000 cash, remainder at 8 per cent.

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312,500—One of the most complete high-class residences to be had in Oakland; this house has 16 rooms some of which are small, but the owner has spent thousands of dollars on the interior finishings and extras which make it a model home, the dining room is paneled in solid oak, a first-class butler's pantry has recently been added, the bath room alone cost \$1000 and the man-tiles and fixtures are of the finest quality; the kitchen has a large range, solid mahogany sets and high-grade carpets; lot 50x150, with an extra key of 10x15 feet, which can be used for a drive, located on Adeline street near 12th street, which is one of the best residence sections of Oakland. Altogether this is just the place to find a home for a comfortable and valuable home to live in, the business center. Terms can be arranged.

\$80 Cash Balance same as rent, buys a modern 5-room and bath cottage, on nearly side 24th st.; present rental \$30. If you are looking for a nice little home on the installment plan see this one; price \$700, lot 50x100.

## A CLOSE-IN CORNER

\$35,000—for a quick pick-up on the corner of Brush and 14th streets; lot 100x125, entirely covered with strictly modern new flats being twelve in number, eight facing on 14th street and four facing on Brush, with marble vestibules containing 6 and 7 rooms each; extra room, etc., and one additional room in the rear. Buy it now and let us re-list it and make you a handsome profit on the turn.

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\$7,500—Sherman street, in Alameda, two flats of 5 and 4 rooms and bath each; also modern 2-room cottage, and stable in rear, which was recently erected at a cost of \$3000; present income \$12 per month; this is nicely located on a lot 75x150. If you are looking for a large income on a small investment this can't be beat.

## PROPERTY WANTED.

**Cottage Wanted**  
4 to 7-room cottage; at once; will pay cash for the right thing; full particulars will insure the considerations; no agents. ADDRESS BOX 466, TRIBUNE.

**WANTED, TO BUY**

Any good income property class in Oakland, up to \$20,000; would invest the same amount in two or more small pieces. Price must be right; present income will be given preference to prospect of increase in value. P. O. Box 133, Oakland.

A COTTAGE or two-story house in good location east of Grove, between three and four thousand; owners mui. Cash Box 468, Tribune.

I WANT to buy income property to the amount of \$3000 to \$50,000, to die direct with owner. Call or address Box 144, Tribune.

LIST your property with us; if you want to take a quick sale and get rid of it, we have a large list of people seeking good investments. In business and residence property, improved or unimproved, a number of inquiries for residences. Box 145, Tribune.

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WANTED—You want your walls tinted and painted at reasonable price; address Painter 306 Willow st. and get my estimates.

OUR factory saved with complete stock of bar fixtures, billiard and pool tables and supplies. The Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co., 20th and Harrison st., San Fran.

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EDWARD T. REEDER; black body; tan coat; head and legs; answers to name "Mister." Will be suitably rewarded by returning him to 123 Alice st.

FOUND—Male French poodle dog. Inquire at 508 East 15th st.

FOUND—A year-old heifer. Inquire at 1018 Broadway.

LOST—Big mastiff dog, around City Hall; no questions; bring 414th, receive reward.

LOST—Scotch colly, 4 months old, at 12th and Union sts. Return to Room 76, Bank Building, for suitable reward.

LOST—Building of keys, bat, 6:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Bring to 1018 Broadway, 12th and Union sts.

LOST—A dog, black and white, 7th and 27th st. Finder please Oakland 701, 4 p.m., ask for Mrs. Hammon.

LOST—Tuesday evening box, Nicol and Telegraph ave., 9:45 a.m.; gold bracelet, black enamel. Reward at 414th st.

LOST—Yellow cocker dog; answers to the name of Pompei. Reward if returned to 417 Telegraph ave.

LOST—Strayed or Stolen—A part coach and four tiered dog, answers to the name of Pompei. Reward if found to Mrs. Francis 1890 Telegraph ave., and receive reward.

LOST—\$5 Reward for return of umbrella, left in P. O., engraved Mrs. V. MacGregor, 12th st.

LOST—Saturday in near Fabiola hospital, black silk beaded sashet; monogram "C." Return 680 Brockhurst st.; reward.

LOST—strayed or stolen—One black male, 95 lbs., 7 years old, clipped and black ribbon tail; buggy; if found notify me, 1018 Broadway, phone Oak 6261, and receive reward.

LOST—4th Eastman camera on San Fran trail, bet. 5th st. station and Dele 12. Return to 1220 11th ave. Reward.

LOST—About Nov. 12, quartz watch; broken. Return Novelty Theater; liberal reward.

LOST—Saturday eve., between 7 and 8 o'clock, a lady's hand bag, containing money, papers and keys. Finder keep money, return papers and keys to 2323 Chestnut; no questions asked.

LOST—Strayed, Friday Nov. 24 Belle Vista, East Oakland—Irish setter dog, 8 months old; suitable reward for return of same.

LOST—Between Alameda and Oakland, a Japanese belt, valued as keepsake. Kindly return 206 San Jose avenue, Alameda.

LOST—Light sable Scotch collie, with white collar. Reward if found to 417 Telegraph ave. Phone Oakland 1725.

LOST—Gentlemen's plate, containing \$30 and coins. Kindly return to 34 Chestnut; no questions asked.

LOST—REWARD—Lost on Broadway near 12th st. Saturday evening, gold open-face watch; monogram H. R., on back. Return to 121 11th ave. Oakland.

LOST—Strayed or stolen—One gray mare, 15 hands high, weighs 900 pounds; lost from Redwood Park, near Pleasanton. Friday night, 10 p.m., between 12th and 13th st. Return to 121 11th st. Oakland.

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## MISS SUSAN DUGAN

### ADJUDGED INSANE

Miss Susan Dugan was committed to

the State Hospital at Stockton this

morning by Judge Melvin on the

ground of insanity. Samuel and Mary

Caldwell, brother-in-law and sister of

the woman, appeared in court and

testified to the illusions the woman is

said to have had about people attempting

her life. Drs. Hamlin and Relife made the examination and the court

ordered her to Stockton.

## POULTRY AND GAME

### POULTRY (per dozen)—Hens, \$6.00

for large, \$6.50 for small; Roosters, \$6.50

for large, \$7.00; Frys, \$2.50; Broilers, \$1.00;

Pigeons, \$1. Squabs, \$1.50 to \$1.75; Ducks, \$6.00 for young and \$6.50 for old; Geese, \$2.50 per pair.

TURKEYS (per lb.)—Nominal.

GAME (per dozen)—Mallard Ducks,

## DIED.

### BEWSON

In this city, Dec. 27, 1906.

John Bewson, a native of Kentucky, aged 30 years 4 months.

REBELLE

In this city, Dec. 27, 1906. Jennie, beloved wife of Frank T. Rebelle and beloved mother of John, Linda and Lizzie Rebelle, a native of Portugal, aged 26 years.

## IN AN AUTOMOBILE.

### An automobile was secured and the couple started for the home of Rev.

Henry K. Sanborn, pastor of the Brook-

lyn Presbyterian church of East Oak-

land.

Although they started at about 10

o'clock for the pastor's house, it was

1:30 o'clock in the afternoon before

they reached the place. Six times their

auto broke down, and they were obliged

to wait in patience while the chauffeur did the necessary repairing.

After the sixth break down, however,

the machine worked beautifully and carried them swiftly to their destination.

There, at about 2 o'clock, the couple who had met for the first time in a local train at 9 o'clock in the morning, and who were engaged at 10, were made man and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Agnew will spend a few weeks' honeymoon in Mill Valley, and in February will sail for China. Mrs. Agnew, who is but twenty years old, says she will always love the old local train where she met her fate.

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\$4 rooms, newly furnished, rent \$6

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In order to make room for our immense spring stock we are determined to close out our entire stock of Clothing, Furnishing Goods and Hats at less than was ever offered before.

## Don't Miss This Great Opportunity--Note Reductions

### SUITS

|  |         |
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| Former price \$30.00—Clearance price ..... | \$19.85 |
| Former price \$25.00—Clearance price ..... | \$14.65 |
| Former price \$22.50—Clearance price ..... | \$12.35 |
| Former price \$20.00—Clearance price ..... | \$11.95 |
| Former price \$18.00—Clearance price ..... | \$9.85  |
| Former price \$15.00—Clearance price ..... | \$8.65  |
| Former price \$12.00—Clearance price ..... | \$7.45  |

### FURNISHING GOODS

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| 50c Silk Ties—Clearance price .....              | .19c |
| 50c Fancy Hose—Clearance price .....             | .19c |
| 75c Heavy-weight Underwear—Clearance price ..... | .44c |
| \$1.00 Golf Shirts—Clearance price .....         | .94c |

### OVERCOATS

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We Have a Large Line of Hats  
on Special Sale

### YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

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| from 14 to 18 years.                       |         |
| Former price \$20.00—Clearance price ..... | \$11.85 |
| Former price \$15.00—Clearance price ..... | \$8.95  |
| Former price \$12.50—Clearance price ..... | \$6.85  |

### KNEE PANTS SUITS

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| Former price \$8.00—Clearance price ..... | \$3.95 |
| Former price \$6.00—Clearance price ..... | \$3.15 |
| Former price \$4.50—Clearance price ..... | \$2.35 |

DON'T OVERLOOK THIS SALE, AS IT MEANS CONSIDERABLE TO YOU

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OWING TO THE FACT THAT EVERYBODY IS BUSY ENJOYING THE HOLIDAYS, WE WILL NOT GIVE OUR REGULAR SATURDAY NIGHT SPECIAL THIS WEEK, BUT WATCH FOR THE NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT SPECIAL. THE FIRST SATURDAY NIGHT OF THE NEW YEAR—JANUARY 5, 1907. TO BE ADVERTISED IN THESE COLUMNS NEXT FRIDAY, JANUARY 4, 1907.

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### GREAT INTEREST IN POPULARITY CONTEST

Contestants Are Gathering Votes Through the Aid of Scores of Their Hustling Friends.

#### RESOLVE TO ENTER.

One of the very best resolutions you could make is to enter the greatest popularity contest ever held in Oakland and prove yourself capable in many ways to all who are watching with interest your career.

If you are not already decided as to what profession you want to follow and want to decide on one, enter this contest.

Probably you think that a queen way to enter upon a business career.

Others enter the contest, come to the Tribune office, give us the necessary information, then start out.

Miss Nora Loden and Miss Alice Flood, both of Oakland, are fast coming to the front, and in the last week have made some fine gains, which reflect credit on their work.

Miss Florence Watkins, Miss Besse Sattuck and Miss Gladys Adams of the Berkeley fairies are climbing nicely to the top, and are likely to win the prize. It will be a jolly contest as they have lined their friends up in battle array and when the votes do come, they'll come fast and furious.

ALAMEDA GIRL'S VOW.

The Alameda girls say that Berkeley will have to get a move on, for they intend to run up the highest scores over there.

Miss Florence Yale and Miss Anna McKenzie are running a close race and it will be interesting to watch their scores.

George H. Donnell, one of the popular motormen, is doing some tall thinking.

Also S. H. Swenson and William Heusted are thinking and working.

ALAMEDA WOMEN.

The Alameda women are fast developing into good circulators and are in the race to win the fine silver machine.

Alameda girls are securing quite a few votes lately and promises talk to make a good fight for the prize.

But then there's Mrs. J. Gunnnett and Mrs. Mayrill, who each claim to will take the lead, but who know their friends or sites to beat them, as they are in earnest and would never have started had they not been and each of whom has friends who are working for them.

FRED WILLE AT HEAD.

Fred Wille of the Oakland letter carriers has reached the top. Mr. Wille has won the first place in the letter delivery to, utilizing energy and business tact stepped from mouth to first passing three good workers, which is certainly a credit and an honor to him and to his mail friends who wish success to his success.

Mr. Wille is to step up to the front and be

just where he is now, if promises and pledges count for anything from his friends. He has been second a number of times, but is sure to find place certainly reflects credit on his campaign.

UNION MAN BRAY LEADER.

Jim E. Bray, the popular radio man having charge of the carpenters' headquarters on Thirteenth and Clay streets, entered just seven days ago and in that short time has passed twenty-three contestants, not to mention the union men in the race for that \$750 bonus.

Mr. Bray, or Jim, as he is known to most of his friends, assures all that he

will make the campaign interesting as he is lining his friends up in a way to insure his winning.

MANNER OF VOTING.

A coupon card for one vote will be published in each issue of The Tribune until the end of the contest. This coupon is clipped and sent to the Contest Manager of THE TRIBUNE, who will count one vote for the contestant named thereon.

There is also another way of securing votes and that is on subscriptions.

Votes will be given on all paid-in-advance subscriptions as follows:

One month, \$5.00 . . . . . 2 extra votes

Three months, \$1.00 . . . . . 100 extra votes

Six Months, \$3.00 . . . . . 300 extra votes

One Year, \$7.00 . . . . . 1000 extra votes

MOST POPULAR YOUNG LADIES.

Prizes—a piano to each district.

OAKLAND DISTRICT.

Fred Wille . . . . . \$12.92

M. J. King . . . . . 13,663

Daniel J. Hallahan . . . . . 13,412

Frank D. Burger . . . . . 12,887

John Z. Barnett . . . . . 3,510

Charles M. Herkenham . . . . . 3,251

Ralph T. Goss . . . . . 2,843

Charles P. Perkins . . . . . 2,871

D. G. Scott . . . . . 2,871

George Kelly . . . . . 2,881

Thomas Gallagher . . . . . 2,362

J. H. Floyd . . . . . 2,258

Charles D. Foster . . . . . 1,926

John T. Fahy . . . . . 1,787

John R. Kelly . . . . . 1,711

D. T. Crowley Jr. . . . . . 1,717

MOST POPULAR LETTER CARRIER.

Prizes—\$50 building lot to each district.

OAKLAND DISTRICT.

Fred Wille . . . . . 769

C. D. Elder . . . . . 420

E. P. Fratt . . . . . 311

Edward Shuman . . . . . 247

L. K. Clermont . . . . . 181

H. H. Edwards . . . . . 148

Ben Litzenberg . . . . . 145

R. B. Yale . . . . . 145

John R. Kelly . . . . . 121

D. T. Crowley Jr. . . . . . 117

MOST POPULAR LETTER CARRIER.

Prizes—\$40 bicycle to each district.

OAKLAND DISTRICT.

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MOST POPULAR POLICEMAN.

Prize—A motorcycle.

OAKLAND DISTRICT.

John T. Fahy . . . . . 1,787

A. B. Smith . . . . . 1,753

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